

BOERS GIVE UP THE WAR PRETORIA HAS FALLEN

President Kruger Leaves the Capital and Is in Hiding.

COLLAPSE OF THE WAR LOOKED UPON AS COMPLETE.

Reins of Government Transferred to Lord Roberts—British Officer at Johannesburg Dictating Terms of Surrender to Federal Forces—Committee of Leading Pretoria Citizens Appointed to Preserve Order—Boer Army in Flight Toward Leydenburg—Guerrilla Warfare Is Likely.

London, May 31.—[Special Cablegram]—It is rumored here that Kruger has been captured six miles beyond Pretoria.

London, May 31.—[Special Cablegram]—Up to noon no official communication had been received confirming the actual occupation of Pretoria and the practical ending of the Transvaal war, but Earl Rosslyn's dispatch saying that the capital has been occupied and that President Kruger had gone to Watervalhoven is taken as meaning the climax of military operations. London is quiet apparently having expended its surplus enthusiasm over the relief of Mafeking.

The question is generally asked, "Will Kruger be caught?" There is reason to believe that the English government is quite willing that he should escape to Europe or America as he would prove to be a troublesome prisoner.

Describing his approach to Johannesburg Roberts says that Hamilton bore the brunt of the fighting Tuesday. He has not heard from French who was directed to go north on the road to Pretoria.

The war lasted 281 days and England used 250,000 men in the field and the Boer forces numbered about 50,000. The British losses in killed, wounded and missing will reach over 30,000. Boer losses are unknown.

London, May 31.—[Special Cablegram]—The report that Johannesburg has surrendered is not fully confirmed. Pretoria is still in possession of the Boers. Kruger has not fled.

INTERNATIONAL PRESS ASSOCIATION.

PRETORIA IS IN BRITISH HANDS

President Kruger Has Fled and the War Is Practically Over.

London, May 31, 3 a.m.—The war is over Johannesburg and Pretoria have surrendered to Lord Roberts, and President Kruger is a fugitive from the conquering soldiers of the queen. It is presumed that the Union Jack is now waving in triumph over the burghers' stronghold.

British officers are now in conference at Johannesburg dictating terms of surrender. The reins of government have been transferred to the commander in chief and committees of citizens of both the federal cities have been appointed to arrange temporary terms of capitulation. So draws to a close the struggle begun by the Boers last October and waged with unvarying fierceness on both sides for nearly eight months, at a cost of 25,000 lives and over \$1,000,000,000.

British to Enter Pretoria.

The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from the Earl of Rosslyn, who was a prisoner at Pretoria, but who, as a civilian appears to have been released:

"Pretoria, Wednesday, May 30, 11:40 a.m.—Pretoria will be occupied in about two hours without resistance. The President has gone to Watervalhoven. Burgomaster de Souza is authorized to receive the British. He, with an influential committee of citizens, including Chief Justice Gregorowski, has been appointed to preserve life and property during the interregnum. Everything is quiet, but crowds are waiting expectantly in Church square for the arrival of the British.

"Fearing a possible disturbance and bloodshed among the prisoners of war at Waterval, United States Consul Hay and Leigh Wood insisted on twenty officers being liberated on parole to go to the men. Their action cannot be too highly praised. I was permitted to accompany the officers. Everything was quiet."

Boer Collapse Seems Complete

The collapse of the Boers' resistance is apparently as complete as it is sensational. According to the reports that reached London shortly after midnight

Lord Roberts made an unopposed entry into Johannesburg early in the day, and the surrender of the city by Commandant Krause followed promptly. Coincident with the fall of the gold city the forts surrounding Pretoria were unceremoniously evacuated, and Lord Roberts' advance guard promptly marched to the capital, which supposedly, was turned over late in the afternoon without the slightest semblance of opposition.

Kruger Is in Hiding
President Kruger meantime is reported as being in hiding at Watervalhoven, south of Leydenburg, on the Pretoria-Deingoa Bay railroad, where, it had been said previously, the Boer army would make its last stand. The president left the capital soon after the gloomy news came from Johannesburg, and his flight was effected in spite of Lord Roberts' attempt to cut off his retreat by the seizure of the railway east of Pretoria.

The war office has not received a word from Lord Roberts, but the downfall of the enemy is reported directly from the captured strongholds.

Boers Abandon the Capital
It is expected that this morning's advances from the field marshal will inform the home government that the campaign has now resolved itself into the simple task of pacification. The whereabouts of the Boers who have been forced to abandon the capital is meantime food for speculation. Undoubtedly a great trek in the direction of Leydenburg is in progress.

War Is Not Yet Over
Brussels, May 31.—[Special Cablegram]—Dr. Leyds says that even though Pretoria capitulates the war is far from being ended. America will make its voice heard before it is too late.

BOER ARMIES ARE DISMISSED
Burghers Stand About Pretoria Waiting for Lord Roberts.

Pretoria, May 31.—The New York Journal correspondent cables: Kruger has fled. Lord Roberts is expected here in about two hours. The burgo-master of Pretoria has been delegated to receive the British. The square is crowded with silent burghers awaiting their arrival.

The Boer armies have been dismissed. The forts around Pretoria are deserted. The British prisoners are practically free. At the instance of Mr. Hay, the American consul, twenty officers were liberated on parole and have been sent to prevent any undue excitement among the prisoners at Waterval.

AWAIT KRUGER AT THE COAST
Refugees at Lorenzo Marques Declare the War Is Over.

Lorenzo Marques, May 31.—Kruger is expected here hourly. The town is crowded with refugees from Pretoria and Johannesburg. Outgoing steamers are crowded. Heavy shipments of gold passed through. All the refugees say the war is over.

BOERS WILL NEVER GIVE UP
Envoys Say a Guerrilla Warfare It Need Will Be Maintained

Boston, Mass., May 31.—"Even if the whole country is taken and the leaders imprisoned, the war will cease only for a time and it will be renewed again and again if need be until we get our liberty," was the dramatic utterance of M. A. Fisher, one of the Boer envoys, when he was shown a bulletin from London announcing the impending surrender of Pretoria.

Mr. Fisher declared that at the time of the departure from Pretoria three months ago there were two plans of action which had been determined upon in the event of the approach of the British to Pretoria. One was to concentrate all the Boer forces into the city and

leave the rest of the country open to the British until the fall of the city. The other was to evacuate Pretoria after a slight show of resistance, to enable the supplies to be collected, and then the army was to scatter into the mountains and enter upon a guerrilla warfare which would last until the last man was killed.

PUSHED CHILD INTO THE FIRE.

Little Girl Is Burned to Death by a Negro Boy.

Amsterdam, N. Y., May 31.—Ellen Jane Brown, a little daughter of James Brown, died Monday from the result of a horrible burning accident. The child, who was not quite 8 years old, left her home and a hundred yards away was accosted by a colored lad, Herschel Lewis, aged 8 years. He called to her to come over, and then requested her to gather some wood for a bonfire which he had kindled. The Brown girl refused to bring the wood, and then the boy, becoming suddenly seized with a bloodthirsty idea, walked up behind her and pushed her face foremost into the fire. In an instant the devouring flames ignited the child's clothing, and with screams of terror she ran out into the street, while the boy stood smiling at her plight. A neighbor who saw her leaped from a second-story veranda and wrapped her in his coat, but she was already fatally burned. The coroner consulted with the child's father, but the latter, considering young Lewis' age, believed there was no sufficient punishment that could be administered to him, and hence he was not arrested.

DYNAMITE KILLS FIVE OF THE FAMILY

Fearful Explosion in the House of Aug. Broehm at Chilton—House Completely Wrecked.

Chilton, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—This morning a dynamite explosion in the house of August Broehm near Forest Junction, killed five members of the family including brother-in-law of Broehm. The house was completely wrecked.

FIVE ARE KILLED LIGHTNING STROKE

Struck Vessel in Course of Construction at St. Clair, Mich.—Fatality at Menominee.

Detroit, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—Lightning this morning at St. Clair struck a vessel in course of construction and killed Frank Campbell, Archie Morrison and William Medier. At Menominee Maude Hubert and a child were killed also by lightning.

GENERAL OTIS IS IN QUARANTINE

May Have to be Vaccinated Before He Can Land from Steamer at San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—Gen. Otis, who arrived on the Meade yesterday was unable to land on account of the small pox aboard. He may have to submit to vaccination if he has no marks of that operation. The entire crew is being treated. Otis leaves immediately for Washington on landing waiving any demonstrations here.

SHERIFF CALLS 1,000 MEN.

St. Louis Police Board Orders Him to Quell Rioting.

St. Louis, Mo., May 31.—The board of police commissioners met this afternoon and decided to order Sheriff Pohlman to summon at once a posse comitatus of 1,000 men to help the police keep order during the street railway strike.

To-day there was a pronounced lull. Only one name was added to the long casualty list, that of Anton Chalupsky, who was shot in the legs by a policeman.

No fatalities have resulted among the eleven persons shot in Tuesday's riots. R. H. Stilson of Chicago, the motorman who was shot through the spine, is in the most critical condition of any among the wounded. His wife has been telegraphed for.

Strike-sympathizing women took a violent part in the turbulence. A mob of them seized Miss Pauline Hesser, a young woman residing in the fashionable portion of the city, and after knocking her down, beating her and tearing her clothes into ribbons they allowed her to go into the office of an iron foundry, where she telephoned for relatives and was taken to her home in a carriage. She was on her way home when the car was stopped by a mob, and, fearing violence, she alighted, but because she waited to get on again when the car moved she was suspected of being one of the paid women riders who remain on the cars all day to attract other women aboard.

Shot and Killed His Niece

Cleveland, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—Carl Raab shot and killed his niece, Bertha Yucker, a school teacher, this morning and then committed suicide. Despondency was the cause.

HE SEES VICTORY IN THE FAR WEST

McKinley Will Carry All But Three States Beyond the Mississippi.

PAYNE AS A PROPHET

Badger Republican Leader Gives His Observations on His Recent Journey.

HOPEFUL OF A CLEAN SWEEP

Washington, May 31.—Every state west of the Mississippi, with the exception of Nebraska, Utah and Nevada, is expected to give its electoral vote to McKinley next November. This is the calculation of Chairman Hanna and his lieutenants. During the meeting of the sub-committee last week this matter was thoroughly discussed and it was agreed that a vigorous fight shall be made in all the prairie, mountain and coast states.

"I undertake to say that we shall carry all the states in that region," said Henry C. Payne, "excepting Utah, Nebraska and Nevada, and we may carry one or more of these. We do not give them up by any manner of means. I have just returned from a tour of all that country and my investigations, which were made more among the people than the politicians, convince me that President McKinley is going to make almost a clean sweep."

An Amazing Prosperity

"We shall carry Kansas and Wyoming easily, as well as California, North Dakota and Oregon. Colorado will be the scene of a lively campaign, but I think the republicans will carry it. The same thing is true of Washington, South Dakota and Montana. In the last named state the democrats are badly demoralized on account of the Clark-Daly feud and our chances of success there are excellent. My information is that we have a good outlook in Idaho. There is no trouble on the coast, save that we shall need a sharp campaign in Washington. The prosperity of those far western states is simply amazing, and I found people were giving the republican party credit for a great deal of it. The people of the far West are in favor of expansion, the open door and take no stock in the cry of imperialism. "Free silver" is dead and the masses are content with what they have and only wish to hold fast to the present era of prosperity."

WHITEHEAD SPOKE AT MENOMONIE, WIS

He Said the Significance of Memorial Day Has Changed Somewhat in Recent Years.

Menomonee, Wis., May 31.—The Hon. John M. Whitehead of Janesville, delivered a forceful Memorial day address yesterday, before an immense crowd. Senator Whitehead said in part:

"The significance of Memorial observation has somewhat changed or enlarged. A new generation has sprung up to whom the stirring events that happened between '61 and '65 are simply matters of history. Youth of the present day had no part in leaving home, father, mother, sister and sweetheart, shouldering a musket and going forth to aid in preserving the Union. But many of them have recently gone forth animated by motives just as high and patriotic as those of their fathers and have laid down their lives just as willingly. The Spanish-American war will have a tendency to intensify all those qualities of soul that make for splendid citizenship and veterans of '98 gathering together year by year with the veterans of '61 will henceforth develop a larger community of interest in the evolution of strong and patriotic national life.

"The tremendous struggle for the preservation of the nation's life has been made most vivid and real to the youth of today because of the war just closed. They will in the future apprehend in larger measure what it means to be citizens of a great republic. The onward march of the American republic depends now as in days past, upon its citizenship. New questions are coming to the front and pressing for solution, new and grave responsibilities have been thrust upon us and now readjustments must be made. These readjustments will necessitate the highest statesmanship. The speaker believed the American people would meet the new problems presented without flinching; would weigh them deliberately and decide them according to the highest principles of fairness and equity."

Bench Warrant For Taylor

Louisville, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—W. S. Taylor has been indicted at Frankfort for complicity in the murder of Goebel and a bench warrant has been issued.

If you are out of employment The Gazette want column will find you work.

FILIPINOS SURPRISE A TOWN.

Sweep Through San Miguel, Kill Five Americans and Wound Seven.

Manila, May 31.—On Tuesday night the insurgents rushed San Miguel de Mayumo, province of Bulacan, Luzon, garrisoned by three companies of the Thirty-fifth volunteer infantry. They swept through the surprised town, killing five Americans and wounding seven. Capt. Charles D. Roberts and two privates are missing. No Filipino dead were discovered. San Miguel de Mayumo is a few miles from Manila. While a band under the escort of troops of the Forty-sixth infantry was moving from Ilang to Silang, within twenty-five miles of Manila, it was attacked by Ladrones, three of the party being killed.

Mob An Old Man And Bride.

Indianapolis, May 31.—Dr. Nelson D. Clouser of Hartford City, 85 years old, married his third wife, and toward midnight a crowd of forty or fifty men and boys congregated around his house and demanded that he come out to receive congratulations. The doctor declined the invitation, and the crowd battered down the doors and forced its way into the house. The doctor and his bride took refuge in an upper room. This so infuriated the mob that it entered upon the destruction of property. Doors were torn from their hinges, windows broken out, the chinaware was dashed on the floor, and bedlam reigned. All the lights had been turned out, and before assistance could be secured the rioters escaped.

ST. LOUIS CITIZENS WILL QUELL RIOTS

Posse Comitatus of 1,000 Is Ordered by Grand Jury—Sheriff Swearing Them In.

St. Louis, Mo., May 31.—A posse comitatus of 1,000 men will be sworn in by Sheriff John H. Pohlman to assist in maintaining order during the street railway men's strike. The grand jury last night submitted a report that Mayor Ziegenhein has thus far failed to efficiently employ the city's police force, which was described as inadequate to meet the existing emergencies.

At an extended session of the heads of business and social organizations, resolutions were adopted formally requesting the Transit company and the strikers to immediately submit the strike difficulty to arbitration.

These are the chief developments in a day of incidents surrounding the strike. The order for the summons of a posse comitatus comes as a sequel to Tuesday's bloodshed. It was issued to the sheriff in accordance with the law at a special session of the police board. Sheriff Pohlman said this morning that he had already secured a list of 500 of St. Louis' best citizens and these would at once be summoned as part of the posse. He is to select only representatives St. Louisians. "My inclinations," he said last night, "is to arm the posse with shotguns."

NO REPLY AS YET FROM THE SULTAN

American Note Presented on Monday Was Insistent but in No Sense an Ultimatum.

Constantinople, via London, May 31.—No answer has been received to the note presented on Monday to the sublime port by the United States charge d'affaires.

The note was a reiteration of the preceding one; it was stronger and more forcible in expression, but was in no sense an ultimatum.

While diplomatic pressure is still exercised, the Ottoman government is being treated with every consideration.

ASKS FOR \$25,000.

Former Wife of Indiana Doctor Says She Was Victim of Conspiracy.

Shelbyville, Ind., May 31.—A sensational suit was filed in the Shelbyville court by Mrs. Alice Stewart, who was married to Dr. James K. Stewart twenty years ago. Some time ago, the complaint says, their son Arthur induced his father to leave his home in Fairland, this county, and come to this city, deserting his wife. An incendiary set fire to the Fairland home and Mrs. Stewart was badly burned. While she was convalescing a lunacy commission declared her insane, and then her son decoyed her to Indianapolis and to an asylum, where she remained from Nov. 16, 1898, to April 1, 1899. During this time her husband secured a divorce and disposed of valuable property for the son's benefit. Mrs. Stewart now alleges that she was the victim of a conspiracy on the part of her husband and son, and she asks \$25,000 damages from the members of the commission—Dr. F. E. Ray, Dr. T. S. Jones, Justice Oaterson and Justice Mazee—and other alleged co-conspirators.

Where Hemlock Is Appreciated.

In parts of South America where mahogany is used for railroad ties and other ordinary uses, the native business men are said to prize the cheap hemlock and pine boards which are sent in the form of boxes and crates from this country.—New York Post.

RUSSIAN TROOPS BARRED IN CHINA

Foreign Powers Land Soldiers to Protect Legations at Peking.

ALLIED FLEET AT TAKU

It Is Believed Boxers Will Disperse Before Troops Are Ready to Act.

FRESH ATROCITIES REPORTED

London, May 3.—[Special Telegram]—Dispatches from Peking report that the boxers have been overawed and driven away by the Chinese troops. Suspicion of the report is colored by the Chinese governments intention to delay the march from Taku to Peking of the foreign troops.

Washington, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—Admiral Kempf cables from Taku that a hundred men were landed and sent to Tien Tsin yesterday, fifty of these go to Peking today. The other nations are landing men.

Tien-Tsin, Thursday, May 31.—The Chinese refuse to allow Russian troops to pass the Taku forts.

The Russian, American, British, Japanese, German, Italian and French warships in the harbor at Taku yesterday landed 100 men each, ordering them to Peking to protect their respective legations. The Viceroy here refused the foreign troops permission to proceed to Peking on the railway without the authority of Tsung-li Yamen.

Greet the American Force

The American force consisted of 108 men with a machine gun and a field gun. It landed Tuesday night amidst great enthusiasm on the part of the residents. Russia is represented at Taku Bay by seven warships, Great Britain by two, France, Germany, Italy, the United States and Japan by one each. Other warships are expected hourly.

Three thousand Chinese troops Lu Tai are expected here enroute to Fang Tai.

There is a disposition here to believe that the "Boxers" will disperse before the foreign troops are ready to act.

Tien-Tsin is in no danger.

Americans Most Concerned

London, May 31.—In American mission circles in London, it is said, that the interests chiefly concerned in the disturbed districts of China are Americans. It is pointed out that several important American mission stations, with women among the members of the staff are at Pao Ting Fu, where the mission aries are reported to be cut off.

A dispatch received here today says the "Boxers" have attacked and burned a mission station at Lau Tson, forty miles southwest of Peking, and have murdered the missionary in charge.

Three Families Massacred

Peking, May 31.—From all parts of the surrounding country news is constantly arriving of fresh atrocities committed by the "Boxers." Three christian families were massacred at Shan Lai Ying, sixty miles from Peking Friday, May 25. Only two escaped.

Give Battle to the "Boxers."

London, May 31.—The Daily Mail has received the following from Tien-Tsin, dated May 31:

"Heavy fighting has taken place between the imperial troops and the 'boxers' at Lai-Shin-Hi-Sien, but the result is not known here. Railway traffic at Peking has been resumed. The foreign settlement here is sufficiently protected by the American and Japanese troops, which have been landed. Consequently the excitement has abated."

Yokohama, May 31.—A Japanese cruiser has been ordered to Tien-Tsin.

Survey of the Alaskan Line.

Seattle, Wash., May 31.—The American members of the international commission appointed to survey and mark out the Alaskan boundary line at Lynn canal under the modus vivendi arrived in Seattle and will, in a few days, proceed to Victoria, where they will meet the two British members of the commission. The American members are C. H. Tittman, assistant superintendent of the United States coast and geodetic surveys, and his assistant, O. B. French.

Assaulted by Two Women

New York, May 31.—[Special Telegram]—August O. Meyers, a wealthy financier, is being kept in an office in Equitable Life, was assaulted at midnight in his apartments by a man and two women and was taken to the hospital badly injured. He refuses to explain the cause although he gave the name of one of the women to the police.

THAT LIGHTING CONTRACT.

THE OFFICIAL RECORDS TELL THE TALE.

The following editorial appeared in Sunday's issue of The Recorder:

DELIBERATE FALSEHOOD.

A few days ago the Gazette with its usual viciousness made the statement that City Attorney Burpee did not follow the recommendation of the council committee on the lighting contract but drew the kind of a contract that his oath of office insured. The statement is utterly false so far as the committee and a vicious assault upon the members of the Gazette's party at that. The truth is that the committee urged upon City Attorney Burpee to make the contract as strong as it could be drawn in the city's interest. The city attorney was asked by the committee to leave nothing undone in the contract to fully protect the city at all points. The Recorder thinks that City Attorney Burpee will bear it out in the above statement. And it can be said to the credit of Mr. Norcross that the contract was signed without a quibble on his part. The Gazette attempts to cast a slur on the committee in trying to make our citizens think that the committee wanted a worthless contract drawn so far as the city's interests were concerned. Truth is better handled than falsehoods and the committee feels that the truth should be stated.

The Gazette should take particular delight in stabbing itself and the blade it uses is unusually keen for suicidal purposes.

Now, what are the facts? According to The Recorder's own account of the council proceedings at the session when the contract was ordered renewed, the chairman of the lighting committee made this motion:

I move that the report of the lighting committee which has just been read to this council be accepted and adopted. Also that the city attorney be and is hereby directed to DRAW UP A CONTRACT WITH THE JANESVILLE ELECTRIC COMPANY WHICH SHALL INCLUDE THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS NAMED BY THE JANESVILLE ELECTRIC COMPANY IN ITS SECOND PROPOSAL TO THE LIGHTING COMMITTEE AS NAMED IN THE REPORT and present the same, when so drawn, to the Janesville Electric company for its signature and to the mayor for his signature on the part of the city. That the Janesville Electric company be required to give a satisfactory bond in the sum of \$5,000 for the faithful performance of the conditions of said contract.

Now, what was the "second proposal" of the Janesville Electric company? The committee report, as published in The Recorder, stated that the proposal was as follows:

Second, it also proposed to furnish 195 arc lamps of the kind known as the direct current, Thomas Houston arc lamp, designated by THE TRADE AS THE 1300 CANDLE POWER ARC LAMP AND BEING OF THE SAME KIND, SIZE AND POWER AS THOSE NOW IN USE IN THIS CITY. To be lighted from one-half hour after sundown to one-half hour before sunrise every night in the year for \$2 for each lamp per year to be paid in monthly installments upon the condition that the city would make a contract with said electric company for the term of five years from the expiration of its present contract with the city.

The said electric company also agrees to furnish current free for the incandescent lamps now in use in both engine houses, the common council room and the city offices, besides current for a ceiling light for the council room if the city accepts either of said proposals.

Did not the committee direct the city attorney to draw a contract, therefore, providing for lights "THE SAME AS THOSE NOW IN USE"? The old contract was so drawn, simply requiring that the contractor furnish "arc lights of the same kind, quality, and candle power as those now in use." Lawyers say that such a contract is worthless as no stated strength of current is required and hence, the contract would be complied with if 400 candle power, or even less, was furnished. City Attorney Burpee's contract is not based, as the committee directed, upon "the terms and conditions named by the Janesville Electric company"—which would have simply renewed the old and worthless agreement, as the above extracts show—but is full, complete, and binding. It requires the contractor to furnish full 1200 candle power lights, the strength of the current (45 volts and 6.8 amperes) being stated. It further provides for tests, deductions for loss, and annulment of the contract for failure to maintain lights as contracted for—points that the old contract did not cover at all. The City attorney, as The Gazette stated, "drew the kind of a contract his oath of office insured," as follows:

This agreement made this 21st day of May, A. D., 1900, between the Janesville Electric Co., of the city of Janesville, in the county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, party of the first part, and the city of Janesville, party of the second part.

Whereas, The said Janesville Electric company has made to the city of Janesville a proposal for lighting the streets, alleys, public grounds and buildings of said city for a term of years, and the contract for said lighting has been awarded by the common council of said city to the said Janesville Electric company, at a regular meeting thereof held on the 14th day of May, 1900.

Now, therefore, The said Janesville Electric company, for and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and the moneys to be paid, hereby covenants and agrees to and with said city of Janesville to put up, furnish and maintain one hundred and ninety-five (195) arc lamps of the kind designated as direct current, are lamps of twelve hundred (1,200) standard candle power each, and to put in operation and keep each of said lamps lighted from

one-half hour after sundown to one-half hour before sunrise every night during each year for and during the term of five years from the 10th day of July, A. D., 1900, at an annual rental of \$250.00 (\$250.00) dollars, for each and every lamp so furnished, payable in equal monthly payments during the continuance of this contract.

The said lamps are to be suspended from the ground over the center of said streets, alleys and public grounds at such points as may be selected by said city, and shall during the time they are required to be lighted as aforesaid, be furnished and maintained with an electric current of not less than forty-five (45) volts and six and eight-tenths (6.8) amperes for each of said lamps, and to be so operated in all other respects as to secure the fullest and best results from the same.

And the said Janesville Electric company hereby covenants and agrees to furnish and supply said city at all times during the continuance of this contract with sufficient electric current for the purpose of properly lighting the incandescent lamps now in use in the two fire engine houses, common council chambers, city clerk and city treasurer's offices in said city, together with current for a ceiling fan in said common council chamber without charge to said city, and as part of the consideration of this agreement.

And the said Janesville Electric company further covenants and agrees, at any time during the continuance of this contract, upon being so requested by said city, to put up, furnish, maintain and keep lighted, such additional lamps of the same kind, quality and candle power as above provided, as the common council of said city may from time to time direct, and which said lamps shall be located and put up at the same time and in the same manner and at the same price as hereinbefore provided.

And the said Janesville Electric company further covenants and agrees that any electrician the common council of said city may designate, either by ordinance or otherwise, shall have the right at such times as said electrician may deem proper, to examine the dynamo, lamps and other equipment used by said Janesville Electric company for lighting said streets, alleys, public grounds and buildings, for the purpose of making tests of said lamps to ascertain whether said lamps are furnishing the candle power herein required under the terms and conditions of this contract, and if upon said test being made it shall appear that any of said lamps are not furnishing the light herein required, it shall be the duty of said Janesville Electric company, upon being notified by said electrician, to replace said lamp or lamps, or to supply said lamp or lamps with the necessary amount of current, as the case may require, within reasonable length of time after said test is made, and the said city of Janesville shall have the right to deduct from the sum from the amount herein agreed to be paid for the length of time that said lamp or lamps shall fail to furnish the light required under this contract as herein stated.

And the said city of Janesville hereby covenants and agrees upon the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the within contract to pay said Janesville Electric company the sum of sixty-two (\$62.00) dollars for each and every lamp so furnished as herein provided, payable in equal monthly payments during the continuance of this contract.

And it is hereby mutually covenanted and agreed, by and between the parties to this agreement, that in case said Janesville Electric company shall fail to put up, furnish, maintain and keep said lamps lighted, and comply with all the terms and conditions of this contract, as herein provided, then all obligations on the part of said city of Janesville to pay for said lamps under the within contract, shall cease and be of no force and effect, and the said city shall be relieved from further liability for lamp rental, provided, however, that a temporary failure arising from unavoidable accident and not due to fault or negligence on the part of said Janesville Electric company shall not constitute a forfeiture if the defect shall be repaired without unnecessary delay.

In witness whereof the party of the first part has caused these presents to be signed and executed by its president and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its secretary, and the party of the second part has caused these presents to be signed and executed by its mayor, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its city clerk, pursuant to an order of the common council of said city authorizing the execution of these presents, the day and year first above written.

JANESVILLE ELECTRIC COMPANY.
By PLINY NORCROSS, Pres.
Attest: EDW. P. NORCROSS, Sec.
CITY OF JANESVILLE.
By VICTOR P. RICHARDSON, Mayor.
Attest: A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

The old contract was as follows:

This agreement made the seventh day of July, A. D., 1897, and by and between the city of Janesville and Pliny Norcross, witnesses: The said Norcross agrees to furnish to and for the city of Janesville, one hundred fifty-six (156) arc lamps of the same kind, quality and candle power as those now in use in said city, and to keep the same lighted from one-half hour after sundown until within one-half hour of sunrise, every night during each year, for and during the term of three (3) years from July 10th, 1897, for the consideration and price of sixty-five dollars (\$65.00) per annum per lamp, payable in equal monthly payments, and to furnish and keep lighted, as aforesaid, such additional lamps of the same kind, quality and candle power, and for the same price per lamp per annum payable as aforesaid, as the said city may from time to time during said term, direct; said lamps to be located as said city may direct.

Said city agrees to pay to said Norcross, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, for the furnishing and lighting of the said one hundred and fifty-six (156) arc lamps and for the furnishing and lighting of each such additional lamp as it may order during said term, the said consideration and price of sixty-five dollars (\$65.00) per lamp per annum payable in equal monthly payments during the said term of three (3) years.

Said Norcross also agrees to light with incandescent lamps without extra charge to the city the engine houses and the rooms of the city treasurer and city clerk, and to wire said buildings and rooms therefor.

In witness whereof, the said Pliny Norcross has hereunto set his hand and the said city of Janesville has caused this agreement to be executed on its behalf by its mayor on this 7th day of July, A. D., 1897.

[Signed]
PLINY NORCROSS,
City of Janesville by
JOHN THOROUGHGOOD,
Mayor.

Not much alike, are they? The above article embodies all the contracts, orders, proposals, etc., having a bearing on the case. Do they prove that The Gazette told a "deliberate falsehood," or that some one else has "dallied with the truth?"

Stoves stored. Talk to Lowell.

Special Train to Madison, Wis., via the C. M. & St. P. Ry.

For the Modern Woodmen's picnic to be held at Madison, Wis., June 5. The official train of Janesville's Camp of Modern Woodmen leaves Janesville via C. M. & St. P. at 8 a. m., arriving at Madison at 9 a. m. Returning, leave Madison 7 p. m., arriving Janesville at 8 p. m. \$1.20 for the round trip.

KING'S DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN

Trusty Ten Circle Had Many Friends at the Congregational Church.

In the parlors of the Congregational church last evening the Trusty Ten Circle of King's Daughters gave an entertainment which was in charge of Miss Nettie Kent. Miss Mabel Shales gave the address of welcome. Six boys and seven girls gave a dialogue "Why We Never Got Married." A musicale and literary program followed. Those who took part were Mabel Charlton, Corn Putnam, Margie Nicholson, Hattie Richards, Stella Bump and Agnes Griebel. The entertainment proved a most enjoyable one.

BELOIT COLLEGE DEFEAT WISCONSIN

GREAT GAME AT ATHLETIC PARK YESTERDAY.

Sixteen Hundred People Were Present Making the Greatest Crowd That Ever Assembled in the Park—Beloit Rooters Present to the Number of Six Hundred.

What proved to be one of the most interesting and closely contested games of base ball ever played in Janesville took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Athletic Park between the teams of the University of Wisconsin and Beloit College. The score was 5 to 1 in favor of Beloit.

Athletic Park never before held such a great crowd. Sixteen hundred people found room within the small enclosure. Fully six hundred were in attendance from Beloit while Madison had few rooters on hand. Both teams played excellent ball. Adkins and Jacobson as Beloit's battery did themselves proud. In the eight inning the Wisconsin players got rattled and the result was the Beloit boys took advantage of it and won the game.

Both teams have a game to their credit for this year and the deciding game will be played at Madison next Tuesday on Modern Woodmen picnic day. The University won from Beloit at Beloit the first of the month by a score of 10 to 5. The score of yesterday's game follows:

BELOIT	R.	H.	E.
Morey, r. f.	0	0	0
Slater, 1b.	0	0	0
Brown, R.	0	0	0
Brown, E. 2b.	2	1	0
Adkins, p.	1	1	0
Dupee, c. f.	1	2	0
Allen, ss.	0	1	1
Merrill, 1f.	1	1	0
Johnson, c.	0	0	0
Total	5	7	1

WISCONSIN	R.	H.	E.
Curtis, 1b.	0	1	0
Harvey, s. f.	0	1	0
Hensel, c. f.	0	1	0
Pierce, c.	0	0	2
Ware, f.	0	1	1
Mathews, p.	0	0	0
Cochens, 1. f.	0	0	0
Harkins, 2b.	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b.	1	0	0
Total	1	3	3

Beloit..... 0 1 0 0 0 1 3 7
Wisconsin..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-7
Earned Runs—Beloit, 1. Struck Out—By Adkins, 8; by Mathews, 5. Bases on Called Balls—Off Mathews, 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Adkins, 1. Two Base Hits—Dupee (2) Merrill. Passed Ball—Jacobson. Double Play—Morey to E. Brown. Umpire—F. B. Jevon, Chicago. Time—1:45.

Travelers will find that seasickness, car sickness and other disturbances from travel are promptly averted by one "Orange powder before starting, repeating every four hours.

PORTER.

Porter, Wis., May 31—Mrs. Wm. Boos returned to her home in Emerald Grove last week after spending a month with her son Frank and family. George Pollard of Edgerton was a visitor last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Madden of Janesville were visitors the first of the week. Rain is needed badly in this locality. Miss Clara Boos of Janesville spent a couple of days here last week. Miss Maggie Condon and Miss Nora Quigley of Edgerton were Sunday visitors. Miss Lizzie Tiernan, who has spent the winter in Edgerton, is at home again. Mr. J. Mirch was shaking hands with old friends in this locality recently. He has been making a tour of the states for the past few years. Mr. and Mrs. Connors of the town of Janesville spent Sunday here.

It stands alone, it towers above. There's no other, its nature's wonder, a warning post to the heart of mankind. Such is Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak agents.

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DROUGHT GETTING TO BE SERIOUS

GROWING CROPS WILL BE DAMAGED UNLESS IT RAINS SOON.

Corn Planting Is Now Practically Completed—Dry Weather Injures Winter Wheat and Rye—Oats and Barley Have Made Fair Progress—Tobacco Plants Vigorous.

The weather and crop bulletin for the week ending with yesterday is as follows:

The average temperature for the week was about normal, ranging from 62 degrees over the southern counties to 54 degrees along Lake Superior. The temperature at night was generally higher than during last week, and no frost was reported from any portion of the state. The amount of daily sunshine was above the average.

Light and scattered local showers occurred during the week over the eastern half of the state, and while of great benefit to the localities where they occurred, were generally insufficient to break the drought. Over the western half of the state there was practically no rain, and the drought, especially in the northwestern counties, is serious.

The week has been very comfortable for corn planting, and this work is now practically completed. Early plantings have come up nicely, and in some localities cultivation has already commenced. The stand is reported good and the plants are generally healthy and of good color. Later plantings have been slow in germinating, on account of lack of moisture, and there is considerable complaint of the seed moulding in the ground. Unless rain occurs soon much replanting will be necessary.

Winter wheat and rye: The dry weather has retarded the growth of winter wheat and rye. In some localities rye is reported to be only from 10 to 12 inches in height and is already heading out. Where there has been sufficient moisture these crops are in good condition.

Wheat and barley have made fairly good progress during the week but are beginning to show the effects of the dry weather, especially on light upland soil.

Grass and pastures have made very slow growth during the week, and should the dry weather continue for another week the hay crop will undoubtedly be very light. Pastures are generally very short.

Tobacco plants are healthy and vigorous and growing nicely, and the prospect for early transplanting is good. The prospect for an abundant fruit crop continues good. Apple and plum trees are loaded with buds and small fruits give excellent promise.

Very Low Rates to North Manchester, Ind.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold May 28, 29 and 30 (but not for trains arriving at Chicago earlier than May 29) limited to July 5 on account of annual meeting of German Baptists (Dunkards). Apply to agents Chicago & North Western.

Reduced Rates to Milwaukee Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

From June 2nd to 5th inclusive, limited to June 30th. Account biennial meeting of Women's clubs. Full particulars at passenger depot.

"Winter Finds Out What Summer Lays By."

Be it spring, summer, autumn or winter, someone in the family is "under the weather" from trouble originating in impure blood or irritated condition of the system.

All these, of whatever name, can be cured by the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. It never disappoints.

Abscesses—"I am past 54 and my good health is due to Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, which purified my blood and kept the ugly abscesses that troubled me." Mrs. BRITTON C. ESTELL, Southard, N.J.

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The Isabel Mfg. Co...

An institution of which the people of Janesville are justly proud, after a very successful spring season, are now turning their attention to fall styles, getting out their samples, &c. They had quite a stock of Waists and Skirts on hand, and being anxious to close them out at once made us a liberal offer if we would take the lot. The result is we bought \$2,000 worth of their best silk and fine mercerized sateen waists and skirts of various cotton fabrics and are going to give the women a rousing benefit. It will be the

Greatest Sale of Waists and Petticoats ever made here--

Thursday, May 31st,

Friday, June 1st. . . .

At 87c--Skirts of fine ribbed cloth in light blue, pink, yellow, to wear under lawn dresses. They have been sold at \$1.25

At 95c--Black imitation silk Waists with 4 ruffles, colored cording, &c.; worth \$1.25 and \$1.50.

At \$1.85--Finemercerized sateen Skirts, black and colors, with ruffles and cording; values \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00.

At \$2.15--High grade mercerized Skirts, in black and colors, beautifully made with ruffles, cording, lace and insertion; have been \$3.00 to \$3.50.

At \$2.90--Rich mercerized sateen Skirts, in black and colors, made with accordion pleating, cording, ruffles, lace and insertion; been selling at \$4.00.

WAISTS.

At \$4.65--10 dozen beautiful silk Waists of taffeta and liberty satin, plain and fancy tucking, some with white yokes or vests, all colors and black. They are all made of excellent materials, and actually worth 6 to 8 dollars.

At \$3.39--5 dozen silk taffeta Waists, with fancy cording, black and colors; usually \$5

At \$1.67--Waists of fine mercerized shadow silk with white stitching; were \$2.00.

At \$1.19--Waists of heavy black mercerized sateen; just the thing to stand hard wear; reduced from \$1.50.

No woman who can possibly attend can afford to miss taking advantage of such great bargains

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The Flour is the best

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ON THE ELEVATOR.

Some Funny Things Heard by a Wide Awake Man.

"A funny thing about this business," said a man who runs the elevator in a big office building, "is the way people will sometimes call out whatever happens to be on their minds instead of the number of the floor at which they want to stop. Just a few moments ago a very good looking lady got in the car, and when we were about half way up she called out suddenly:

"Two back teeth!"

"What?" said I, a little startled.

"I mean five," she answered, turning red. Then she saw that made it worse than ever, and she turned red some more.

"I mean please stop at the fifth floor," she managed to say very low when we were nearly to the top. You see, she was on her way to the dentist's maybe to have two back teeth snatched out, and I suppose she couldn't think of anything else.

"The other day a fat, fussy old man rushed in with a bundle of papers in his hand. When we got near the fourth floor, he blurted out:

"He's a rascal!"

"Very likely," said I and kept on going up.

"Hi, there!" he yelled. "Why don't you stop where I told you?"

"How did I know which floor you meant?" said I. "What you remarked fits the tenants on several floors."

"It turned out that he wanted to see his lawyer. I don't know whether he was thinking about him or somebody he was in litigation with."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Bitter Blow.

"Yes, my boy, you have my consent to marry Edith," said the father after it had taken him an hour to find out what the young man wanted. "Yes, you can have her and get married as soon as you will."

"You have made me the happiest man in the world!" exclaimed Adolph.

"Very likely. I shall leave a check beside your wedding dinner plate. It will be signed, but not filled out."

"How noble and generous!"

"You can fill it out yourself. Don't be afraid of figures."

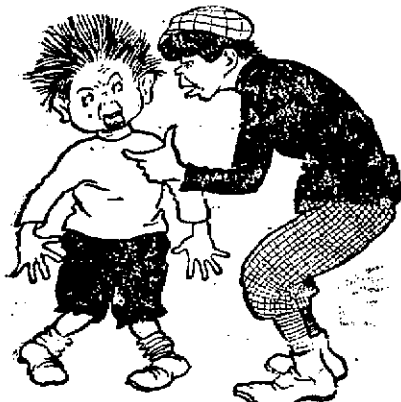
"How can I thank you?"

"Might as well make it a million as ten thousand."

"Oh, sir!"

"That's all, except my balance is only \$220, and you'd better keep the check for the first baby to play with!"

The Facts in the Case.



"No, Willie, I won't be ter yer. I never killed but tree injuns in me life! Dat's straight!"—New York Journal.

They Never Came Back.

The farmer had told me that he had been keeping summer boarders for several years, and presently I asked him if any of them had ever returned a second season. He thought it over for three or four minutes and then replied: "I had never thought of that. Yes, I believe one did come back the next season."

"And stop with you again?"

"No, I don't think he did. I think he came back to ask us how far it was to the next place they took in boarders!"

Feminine Practicality.

"Women have no real love for nature."

"How do you know?"

"Look at the way they drag up the subject of fly screens every time a man mentions that he thinks of going fishing."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Best of Neighbors.

"You say they are excellent neighbors?"

"Yes."

"Well, that's somewhat indefinite. Do you mean that they never borrow or that they are willing to lend?"—Chicago Post.

Special Pleading.

Judge—Prisoner at the bar, stand up. Prisoner (thickly)—Excuse me, your honor, but I've been standing up at so many bars that I am quite unable to comply with your request.—Detroit Free Press.

The Shopping Paradox.

"These prosperity prices make living awfully high."

"Not for me. I've found out that when things were cheap I bought a lot of stuff I didn't really need."—Chicago Record.

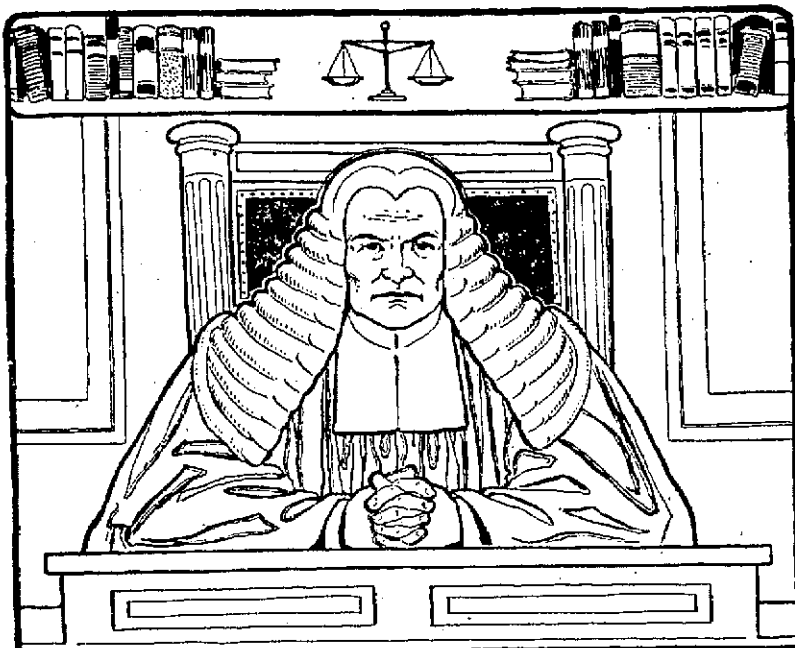
Half Rates to Philadelphia, Pa.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, June 14, 15 and 16, limited to June 26, on account of republican national convention. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Do You Know

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Murder on Packet Steamer.

Mound City, Ill., May 31.—Lee Williams of Union City, Tenn., gambler, shot and killed Jasper Hawkins of Paducah, Ky., and then shot Will Machis of Paducah through the stomach, inflicting a fatal wound. The shooting occurred on the Cairo & Paducah packet steamer Dick Fowler soon after its arrival here and was due to a quarrel over a "crap" game. All the men are colored. Williams was locked up.

Fatal Motor Car Accident.

Chicago, May 31.—An Evanston electric car, crowded with Decoration day passengers, jumped the track while going at a high rate of speed in Devon avenue and tumbled down into a six-foot ditch. Eight persons were injured. Mrs. Catherine Curtin, 100 Twenty-third place, suffered concussion of the brain and internal injuries, and will probably die. Three other women and four men were badly hurt.

Chicago's New Elevated Road.

Chicago, May 31.—After years of unfulfilled promises to impatient north siders the Northwestern Elevated Railroad company opened its line to public traffic today. There were two special trains, with invited guests on board, to mark the formal opening of the road.

Carnegie Worth \$200,000,000.

New York, May 31.—Henry W. Lucy, M. P., writing to the Tribune from London, quotes a friend of Andrew Carnegie as saying that the ironmaster lately declared that his h's possessions, readily convertible into hard cash, amount to \$200,000,000.

Low Rates to North Manchester, Ind.

Via C. M. & St. P. R'y.
On May 29 and 30 good to return until July 1, account annual meeting German Baptists.

Does This Strike You?

Muddy complexions, nauseating breath come from chronic constipation. Karl's Clover Root Tea is an absolute cure and has been sold for fifty years on an absolute guarantee. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by J. P. Baker.

\$50 in Shoe in Hay Bale.

Danbury, May 31.—Isaac Brock purchased a bale of hay from Benjamin Bros., and an hour later appeared with an old shoe which he said he had found inside it. He indignantly declared that he had been given short weight, which he demanded should be made up. The shoe was carefully weighed and the exact amount of hay called for wrapped up in a piece of paper was carried away by Mr. Brock. After he had gone a member of the firm noticed that the old shoe was filled with scraps of paper. Idly pulling them out, he found ten \$5 bills snugly nesting within the shoe. Benjamin Bros. retain the money, although Mr. Brock claims it.

Visiting Beecher's House.

Peekskill, N. Y., May 31.—There was a pilgrimage to Boscobel, the former home of Henry Ward Beecher, by members of the Plymouth church, Brooklyn. The annual picnic of the Sunday school was held at Empire grove, two miles below this village. Shortly after noon carriages and stages conveyed about 75 people to the residence on Main street; this village, now owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Stewart, who entertained the guests. They were escorted through the house and grounds by Maj. J. R. Pond, who managed Beecher's lecture tours. Much interest was manifested in the room where "Norwood" was written.

Excursion Tickets to Milwaukee

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates, June 2 to 5, inclusive, limited to June 30, on account of Women's Clubs Meeting. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Corrected by P. H. Bump.

FLOUR—Retail at 85c@91.00 per sack.
BRAIN—Retail at 75c@100 lbs., \$14.00@ton.
FEED—70c per 100, \$13 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—Retail at 75c@100 lbs., \$13.00@ton.
WHEAT—Fair to best grades, 55c@62c.
RYE—Steady, at 54c@55.
BARLEY—Dull, ranges at 32c@37c.
HAY—Timothy@ton, \$10@11.00; other kinds \$8.00@10.00@ton.
EAR CORN—20c @ \$9.50 per ton.
STRAW—\$4.50@5.00@ton.
POTATOES—20c@25c@bushel.
POULTRY—Chickens, dressed 7c@8c. Turkeys 9c@10c.
EGGS—Lower, 20c@21c.
BEANS—\$1.75@2.25@bushel.
CLOVER SEED—\$3.50@3.75@100 lbs.
TIMOTHY SEED—\$2.00@2.25@100 lbs.
BUTTER—17c@18c.
EGGS—03c@04c@dozen.
WOOL—Washed, 25c@27c; unwashed, 19c@21c.
HIDES—Green, 6c@7c; dry, 3c@5c.
FURTS—Quotable at 50c@1.
CATTLE—\$2.50@3.50@cwt.
HOGS—4.50@5.00@cwt.

Low Rates to Green Bay, Wisconsin Via C. M. & St. P. R'y.

On June 4th, 5th and 6th, limited to June 11th, account Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Full particulars at passenger depot.

35c, 35c, not 25c, not 50c, 35c, the price of Rocky Mountain Tea the world over. None genuine, unless made by the Madison Medicine Co. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak agents.

Householders' Excursion Via C. M. & St. P. Railway.

On May 1st and 15th and June 5th and 10th, good for twenty-one days, at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip to points South, West and Southwest, including Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs. Further particulars at passenger depot.

Serpent in Their Bed.

Lambertville, N. J., May 31.—When John E. Kilroy and his wife retired they were given a shock from which they are not likely to recover very soon. They had prepared to get into bed, and Mr. Kilroy was about to extinguish the light, when he was startled by a shriek from his wife, who had turned down the bed clothing. "A snake!" cried Mrs. Kilroy. "Oh! Oh!" There in the center of the bed, comfortably coiled up, and ready to spring in retaliation for the interruption of his nap, lay an ugly snake, which made no move to escape. Aroused by Mrs. Kilroy's shrieks, neighbors ran in and offered assistance in all sorts of ways. Finally an ingenious young man got a garden rake, pulled the serpent from the bed, and killed it, but Mrs. Kilroy would not sleep in the bed after that.



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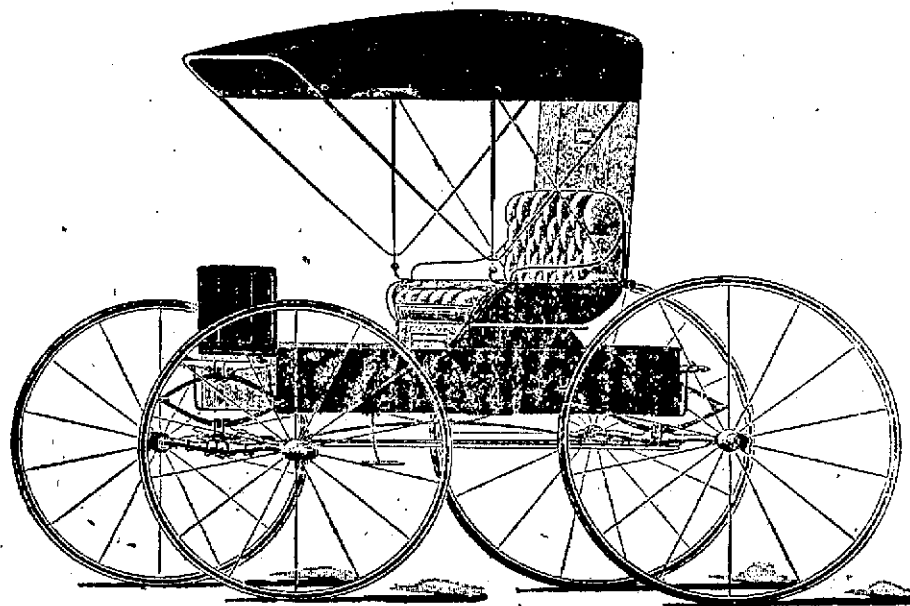
129 E. 12th St., New York City, March 1, 1899. One bottle of "Coke Dandruff Cure" completely removed all traces of dandruff from my hair after an affliction of many years' standing. The cure is remarkable and effective. A. C. MAGK.

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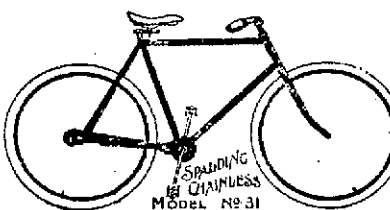
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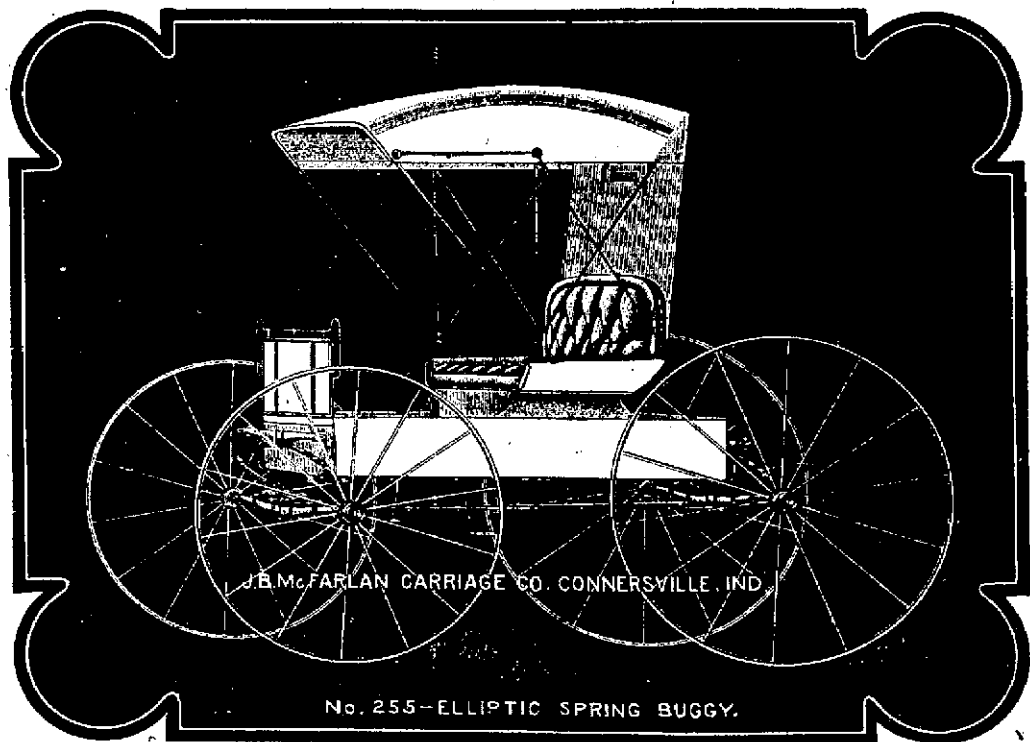
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Thunder showers tonight, Friday cooler.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1740—Frederick William I of Prussia died; born 1688; Frederick William I was the father of warlike Prussia.

1810—Horatio Seymour, governor of New York, born in Pompey Hill, Onondaga county, N. Y.; died in Utica 1886.

1818—John Alton Andrew, war governor of Massachusetts, born in Wrentham, Mass.; died 1887.

Governor Andrew gained distinction before the war by his opposition to slavery. He was elected governor for one year in 1860. Within a week after Lincoln called for 75,000 troops he sent five regiments to the front. Andrew was elected governor five times in succession.

As a friend of the soldiers in the field and an animated leader of his people in the vigorous prosecution of the war he acquired great popularity.

1825—General C. M. Mitchell, a Union veteran, died at Charleston, Ill.; born 1835.

1828—Commodore Sauley's vessels engaged the Spanish torpedos and ships at Santiago in a duel. Baron Lyon Playfair, distinguished English chemist, civil service reformer and parliamentarian, died in London; born 1819.

MR. WHITEHEAD'S CHANCES

Senator Whitehead's candidacy is progressing each day, and the Janesville man's chances are held to be equal to those of any other candidate. The senator has been making a clean vigorous canvass, and he met with much encouragement. He is known all over the state because of his excellent legislative record and that he is an unusually clean, able and conscientious man is generally recognized.

The newspapers continue to speak well of him, as the following clippings, from opposite ends of the district show:

Darlington Republican-Journal.—The candidacy of Senator John M. Whitehead of this congressional district is being favorably received everywhere. The more his record is studied and understood, the better the people like him. He is a clean-cut, high-minded, honorable gentleman, and has the unqualified confidence of all who know him.

With him as our candidate we will have no explanations to make, nothing to defend, no factional scores to heal; and a reunited party can triumphantly march to the polls and elect him governor or by an unprecedented majority. From present appearances it looks much as though La Fayette county will send a solid Whitehead delegation to the state convention and assist in nominating one of the grandest men in the state for governor.

Delavan Republican.—The long expected announcement of R. M. LaFollette's candidacy made last week has caused considerable stir in political circles, but the republicans of the First district are all heartily supporting their excellent candidate, Hon. John M. Whitehead, of Janesville.

The report set afloat by our honorable and dignified contemporary, to wit, "The Gazette is a liar," still lacks confirmation. The proof that was to be so easily secured appears to be delayed in transmission. And in face of these facts, our honorable and dignified contemporary maintains a discreet silence. It knows that The Gazette didn't lie, but isn't honorable or dignified enough to admit its error.

Janesville people who want to see a uniformed policeman need not go to Chicago, Milwaukee, Beloit or Madison. A trip to the live little city of Edgerton will be sufficient. Edgerton is coming to the front rapidly and now leads Janesville in the volume of tobacco trade as well as in the matter of the metropolitan appearance of its police department.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts said, in speaking of Senator Spooner's speech on Philippine question it was "at least the ablest running debate ever given in the senate and that the Wisconsin senator's quick and vigorous replies to interruptions were unparalleled in senatorial debate." This was certainly a pretty compliment and accorded by a competent judge, too.

The official that howls because his censurable non-political or private acts are not upheld by a newspaper simply because both believe in the same political platform, is generally so sadly in need of a defense that he is likely to be a bit narrow minded and exacting on that point. A safe rule is, "be good and you will be happy."

As the lighting committee disclaims any departure from ordinary business methods, of course the committee's order as to the kind of a contract to be drawn must have "meant business." Otherwise it would not have been worded as it was.

Section 7 of Title XII of the city charter doesn't appear to be of any account when city contracts are let, so perhaps it would be well to repeal it, and thus do away with the liability the aldermen incur in its violation.

Anyone who is interested in the much frayed subject of the lighting contract will find the official records on page 2

of this issue, and can therefore read and judge for himself as to the truth of the very gentlemanly and dignified charge of The Recorder, to wit, "The Gazette is a liar."

The council acts wisely in ordering street improvements. The value of good streets cannot be overestimated. Like every other good thing, good streets cost money, but they are worth it. Let the good work go on.

The taking of the census will begin tomorrow. Be sure that your enrolled, as Janesville should make the best showing possible.

And Beloit, in the language of the poet "felt poor, I guess," over the defeat of Madison.

Beloit has a modern police force, too, as well as a college that has a winning base ball team.

Florida Freeze.

"A freeze," said the girl from Florida, "is just about as depressing a state of things as can be imagined. To begin with, there is a knowledge that it means great financial loss, which would naturally nip in the bud the most glowing optimism. But even if a 'freeze' carried no desolation in its wake, it would still be a harrowing experience. Without the least premonition you waken up in the morning, and the moment you look out of your window you know that a 'freeze' has arrived. When once the wizard of the 'freeze' has put his spell upon our beautiful groves there's no getting the better of him. The first touch of his icy wand seals their doom, and incidentally ours. It is no wonder we Floridians dread a 'freeze.' It affects our spirits only less than it does our pockets."

Two Cyclists Killed.

Waltham, Mass., May 31.—Harry E. Miles of Lynn and W. F. Stafford of Boston are dead. One spectator at the Waltham cycle track, where 15,000 people witnessed the most terrible accident ever known in cycling annals, had his hip broken, and still another spectator was carried to the Waltham hospital with the riders. The immense machine, going at a 1:31 gait, struck an electric light pole, knocking two of the spectators down en route. The machine was chopped into scrap iron. Stafford struck the post at the base of his brain and shot out over the fence. Miles struck a post and cut a deep gash across his face and broke a lot of bones in addition.

Newspaper Women in Session.

Detroit, Mich., May 31.—One thousand women editors, correspondents, reporters and writers in various American cities were represented by the delegates that gathered in the Hotel Cadillac for the opening of the annual Woman's International Press Union congress. Mrs. Mary Smith Lockwood of Washington, president of the union, called the first session to order this afternoon. Mayor Maybury welcomed the visitors to the city.

Cake Walk Gives Grace.

A western advocate of physical culture for women claims that the cake walk had a mission, if it be nothing more than to show how plant the limbs can become and what a charming graceful motion has for the critical observer. And this same advocate advises women to put some of the grace acquired through the study of physical culture into the sitting still position, and not to look upholstered, like the rest of the furniture, for it is claimed that in the matter of sitting American women are notoriously at fault. If the cake walk really has this effect the coming woman will rival the graces of old, for almost every child of today knows the cake walk to perfection.

The Sensible Girl.

This is the day of the sensible girl; of the girl who has had a better education than the women of the last generation dreamed of, and who has profited by it sufficiently to have a far greater number of interests. She is an intelligent companion to her father, for she is not stupidly ignorant of both politics and business matters. She is on terms of friendship with her brother, for she is no longer desirous of making him treat her as a weaker vessel who must invariably be indulged; she can take a rational interest in his hobbies, and she is not afraid of walking and bicycling with him.

The Title of Honor.

Two workmen were looking at an illustrated paper containing portraits of heroes of the war in South Africa. On coming to a picture of Lord Roberts, one of them read out: "Field Marshal Lord Roberts, V. C., G. C. B. What's G. C. B. mean, Jim?" "Why, 'generally called Bobs,' of course. Didn't you know that?" answered his friend scornfully.—Answers.

HOSTETTER'S

CELEBRATED

Is the best medicine for the stomach. It cures

Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Liver and Kidney Troubles.

It contains everything beneficial and nothing injurious. When you ask for the Bitters, insist upon having the genuine.

STOMACH BITTERS

London, May 31.—"America, has nothing to fear from other nations in the shipbuilding line," said H. T. Morse, president of the New York Shipbuilding company of Camden, N. J., while speaking of his trip through the shipyards of the United Kingdom. "Due credit must be given such great yards as those on the Clyde and at Belfast, Barrow-in-Furness, and New Castle, where many improvements have been made, but the United States can more than hold its own, even in the infancy of its work."

Rare White Rhinoceros.

Mr. Gielgud, the native commissioner at Sebunge, Africa, reports that the very rare white rhinoceros still roams the veldt in the district between the Sanyati and Zambesi rivers.

WANT COLUMN

THE SUN'S ECLIPSE was seen by those who looked for it. Gazette Want Ads. find hard to find articles without trouble.

Three Lines, Three Times for 25 cents.

WANTED—Experienced help for restaurant June 5th, Woodmen's day. Apply at once to One Minute Coffee House, Madison, Wis.

WANTED—Man to deliver and collect in Janesville and vicinity; \$15.00 per week and expenses; permanent position. Address delivery department, 1380 Cherry street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—A good cook, good wages, at 618 Franklin Place, Milwaukee.

WANTED—Good, competent girl for general housework. M. J. W. Sale, 113 Washington street.

WANTED—A small cash register. Address R. Gazette.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Pensies and China aster plants 5 cents per doz. Pansy blossoms 5 cents per doz. 105 Cornelia St. Second Ward.

FOR SALE—Bay horse, 7 years old; will drive single or double. J. T. Waggoner, 38 North Main street.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—7 room house, good bath, hen house and yard. Good well, close to city. 424 S. Jackson St. E. G. Fife.

FOR SALE—The elegant corner South Main and South Third Sts., with good brick and frame house, (for 2000), for only \$3000 if taken soon. L. R. Trent.

FOR SALE—Eight room house on Pleasant St. Well and cistern. Price \$2500. Inquire C. C. Carr, Milwaukee Ave.

FOR SALE—Lot in Crown addition on new block. L. R. Trent. Buy now before value doubles.

A GOOD row boat for sale cheap; W. I. Rutherford, new phone 587.

FOR SALE—House and lot at 54 Hyatt St. Inquire on premises or of J. E. Gleason.

FOR RENT.

THE commission on public buildings for Rock County offer for rent the old sheriff's residence, jail and buildings connected with it. The committee will also receive propositions for the sale of the above mentioned buildings. Call the November term of the Rock county board. T. B. Bailey, Edward Rathem, J. D. Godfrey, committee.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with bath, hot and cold water, ground floor, modern throughout. Call at 153 West Milwaukee street.

FOR RENT—2 houses, one on N. Jackson, one on N. Franklin St. E. G. Fife.

STORE FOR RENT—No. 18, South Main street. Steel ceiling, new maple floor. Water and closet in store. C. E. Jenkins.

FOR RENT—On May 1, flat in Waverly block. Steam heat, bath room, all modern improvements. Apply of F. L. Stevens, postoffice block.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CEMENT walks last forever. If you are going to put down a new walk why not invest in a cement or brick walk, the cheapest in the long run, once down never again out of repair. Call on the best of work. Can give references. B. P. Crossman, 65 Palm St.

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Ice Cream Soda

5 and 10 cents a glass.

Ice Cream :

5 and 10 cents a dish.

BEST FRUIT AND LOWEST PRICES.

ORIENTAL FRUIT STORE.

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DENTISTRY.

I have resumed work in my office. Those having work engaged, and others wishing me to do work for them, please call.

DR. S. H. GISH.

MONEY TO LOAN

Real Estate Bought and Sold.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

HOUSE TO RENT.

C. B. CONRAD, 34 SOUTH MAIN STREET

Shurtleff's

Pure Ice Cream

Served by the dish, 5 and 10c

By the quart Delivered 35c

TEMPERANCE DRINKS OF ALL KINDS.

ALLIE RAZOOK.

Fruit Store, 30 S. Main St. New phone 639

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Baby's Voice

she looks forward to it with indescribable fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of "MOTHER'S FRIEND," a scientific liniment. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain. Our book of priceless value to all women will be sent free to any address by Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that it is entirely avoided by the use of "MOTHER'S FRIEND," a scientific liniment. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain. Our book of priceless value to all women will be sent free to any address by Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Mother's Friend

Watch for our second great consignment of

Hardy Western Horses

CONSISTING OF

Brood Mares, Driving, Delivery and Draft Horses.

This will be the second shipment of the 3,000 head that we have arranged for consignment to us from the famous ranches of Washington and Montana. They will be sold at auction to the highest bidders without reserve and regardless of value at our

Midway Sale Stables, at 10 a. m., Wednesday, June 6.

This great bunch of horses are in prime condition and will be worthy of the attention of horsemen, breeders and speculators throughout the country.

BARRETT & ZIMMERMAN, MIDWAY HORSE MARKET, Merriam Park, Minn.

A STRONG PROOF.

The best way to convince yourself that we give the greatest value in made to measure clothing is to place an order with us.

Men's French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers in blue, flesh and natural colors; satin faced Shirts, drilling faced Drawers, pearl buttons, overlocked seams. Best value for your money ever shown.

Remember, when you wish to be well dressed, go to

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A Gasoline Stove of Course.

Don't fail to consider the Monarch stove's good points before you finally decide on the stove you want. Even at the same price of other Gasoline Stoves they are easily the best to buy and we believe we can demonstrate to your satisfaction this fact. We have Gasoline Stoves all sizes, from \$3.29, up.

We believe that in the

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The lines of good Granite Ware carried by us are numerous. Every one of them the best that money can buy. Any kind of kitchen article in granite is among them.

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Lawn Swings

Are the MYERS LAWN SWINGS. All we ask is that you look at all the others, then inspect ours. You'll not be long in deciding which one to buy. Our prices are as low as any, while our swings are far ahead of others.

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Buggies

At the Best

Prices

ARE SOLD BY US.

LAMB & BARLASS

Court Street Bridge

Before you buy a wheel let us show you a

Racyle

The only wheel with a

Crank Hanger

that is mechanically correct.

WALTER HELMS.

Lap Dusters

and Robes.

Lots of them, at low prices.

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6 North Main Street.

Also Trunks, Telescopes,

Suit Cases, etc.

Quality

Away up

That's what you find when you get our fine wines and liquors. We have the varieties to suit you and the quantities you want. We wholesale and retail. Give our goods a trial and you will patronize us thereafter.

L. L. LEFFINGWELL.

Old phone, 245; New phone, 545; 55 E. Mill St.

TO THE PUBLIC:

Having bought the Bates Cash Tea Store we wish to announce that we will continue to give Premium Checks and redeem old checks at any time.

We will continue to keep a full line of the same

High grade Teas, Coffees, Spices, Extracts, Etc. . . for which this store is noted.

We are pleased to announce that the efficient services of

MR. FRED BLAKELY

have been procured to call on and attend to the wants of his former trade.

Soliciting the patronage of old patrons of the store and also of the public in general, we are

Yours for good goods, right prices and prompt service.

C. W. BROOKS.

On the Bridge. New phone 52.

Parasols..

Beauties.

They are here in all their glory... the parasols. How shall we describe them? Beautiful, lovely, entrancing—give it up! Can't do them justice. Come and see for yourself.

UMBRELLAS

Our One Dollar Umbrella is a wonder—much better than some people sell you for a half more. How do we do it? Well it's just this way: We buy from a manufacturer who values our account and is anxious to please us. We told him we wanted to show the best dollar umbrella in town, and he has helped us to do so. Will you take a look at them? Also excellent values in colored Umbrellas at \$2, \$2.25, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

White Piques—

Buy Them here and Save.

Pique prices are soaring sky high just now in most stores. A fortunate trade happening enables us to clip the prices of these eagerly sought goods in an unexpected manner. This way for example: Twenty pieces light grade white pique with figures and stripes, positive value 40 cents, special

25c

HOSIERY

Lisle Thread Hosiery 25 cts.

WOMEN'S "NO. 4" STAINLESS" drop stitch black Hosiery about such qualities as you see in other stores at half a dollar, very special value at 25 cents.

Millinery

For the mid-season—new ideas are first seen in this department. Late arrivals make the present showing an interesting one.

ARCHIE REID & CO

DRY GOODS CLOAKS MILLINERY

MERCHANTS' Piano Contest

Commenced April 26; Ends August 17.

For the most popular Church, Lodge or Society.

of Janesville, by which a \$400 Upright piano will be delivered. ABSOLUTELY FREE to the winner of the contest. What church, lodge, society, or school will carry off the honors?

This will be Voted Upon Every Week.

Ballots to be sent to City Clerk A. E. Badger, who has charge of the contest. The following leading merchants of Janesville will issue ballots with every 25c cash purchase:

J. M. Bostwick & Sons, Dry Goods.

T. J. Ziegler, Clothier and Furnisher.

Brown Bros., Shoe Dealers.

H. S. Johnson, Grocer.

W. J. Hall, Grocer.

DID PFENNIG ACT AS FALTER'S AGENT

CASE INVOLVING MORTGAGE IN
JUSTICE EARLE'S COURT.

Ferdinand and Elizabeth Shumacher of this City Bring Suit Against John H. Falter Alleging That He Failed to Release a Mortgage—Plaintiffs Claim That They Paid Max Pfennig.

Before Justice of the Peace Earle this week has been tried the case of Ferdinand and Elizabeth Shumacher and John H. Falter. The action involves the question of whether Max Pfennig acted as agent or not for the defendant. The plaintiffs who are residents of this city bring the action for \$100 damages claiming that the defendant failed to release a mortgage after it had been paid. The mortgage involved \$300.

The interested parties admit that the \$300 was paid to Max Pfennig but the question now involved is, was Pfennig at the time an authorized agent for Mr. Falter. The defendant claims that Pfennig never was his agent at the time of the transaction. Mr. Falter also alleges that Pfennig a short time before his sudden disappearance from this city went to his home in this city and there secured the note, mortgage and assignment without his permission.

Falter says that the money was paid over to him by Pfennig. For this reason the defendant has failed to release the mortgage which is the cause for action as brought by the plaintiffs whom the mortgage was against.

The plaintiffs claim that Pfennig was Falter's agent and as such they paid him the money in full. The question for the court to now decide is whether or not Pfennig acted as Falter's agent at the time the money was paid over. Several witnesses were sworn in the case.

Justice Earle will render his decision next Monday. J. J. Cunningham appeared for the plaintiffs and A. E. Matheson for the defendant. The defendant is an engineer on the Milwaukee road running between this city and Mineral Point.

MANY ATTENDED CEMETERY SERVICE

Mayor Richardson and Rev. Walter A. Hall Were the Speakers of the Day—Excellent Program.

Memorial day yesterday was distinguished by splendid weather. The town was crowded with visitors who enjoyed the various incidents of the day immensely. The Memorial parade was a decided success.

At Oak Hill cemetery yesterday afternoon many people were in attendance at the Decoration day exercises. The program as published was carried out. Mayor Richardson made a few remarks. The orator of the day was Rev. Walter A. Hall. In part he said:

He said he saw recently a painting called "The Two Majesties." One majesty represented was the sea; the other a tiger. He spoke of the grandeur of the crown and the majesty of the beast as it went where and when it pleased. It had the dawning of intelligence and the power of choice. He said that history was a canvas on which the painting was always doing but never done and that on this canvas two great majesties were being painted—the majesty of the king, and that of the people, the majesty of the people. He spoke of the pomp and power of kings. The colors were bright in the painting. But the power of the people, not yet fully realized, that power is greater. This government is the greatest exponent of the majesty of the people. When, in 1789, the perpetuity of our government was threatened, the hopes of the people were endangered here and indirectly everywhere and for all time. It was splendidly the north as our man rushed to the rescue. The cost of saving the union was enormous. After expending large revenues at the close of the war we were \$2,000,000,000 in debt. Then how much was the sacrifice of 2,000,000 men who served in the army and navy of the union. 300,000 lives were laid on the altar of the country. And yet the perpetuity of this union was worth all that cost to humanity. Mr. Hall spoke of the probable growth of the power of public opinion which he believed would ultimately triumph completely over all despotism and in time the majesty of the people would everywhere be supreme over the majesty of kings. Not a little of the grand result would be owing to our loyal soldiers, who fought in the civil and Spanish war.

Wallace Cochrane, a Candidate.

To Whom It May Concern—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of Sheriff of Rock county, and any support given me by people who favor my candidacy, will be fully appreciated.

WALLACE COCHRANE.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Dr. J. B. Whiting, Jr., is in New York City.

Rev. W. F. Brown of Beloit, attended the ball game yesterday.

Miss Mary Winters is the guest of friends at Woodstock.

Otis Brand is able to be about again after a long siege of sickness. Mrs. Brand did her husband's work while he was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy McCue were in the city yesterday returning to their home in Chicago yesterday.

Mr. Gibbs and Mrs. Prentice will arrive in the city this evening and will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. St. John.

Miss Grace Fuller and Miss Edith Palmer of Whitewater have been visiting in the city this week the guest of Mrs. C. C. Carr.

The Lion Coffee salesman has recently been handing copies of their premium list around at the houses. See their display of premiums in W. T. Sherer's drug store.

Isabel waists and skirts. Great special sale today and Friday. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

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MENU FOR FRIDAY.

Keep cool, and you command everybody.—St. Just.

BREAKFAST.

Baked Apples.

Poached Eggs, Creamed Potatoes.

Sliced Cucumber and Cream.

Wheat Cakes, New Maple Syrup.

Coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Sardines, Thin Black Bread.

Radish Sandwiches, Lemon.

White Cake, Tea.

DINNER.

Potato Soup.

Boiled Soft Shelled Crabs.

Pointons a la Provencale.

Stewed Cucumbers, Stuffed Cabbage.

Lettuce Salad, Mayonnaise Dressing.

Peaches and Cream.

Cafe Noir.

STUFFED CABBAGE.—Remove the heart of a large fresh cabbage. Fill with forcemeat, a little of chicken or veal. Tie the cabbage firmly, put into chicken stock and boil for two hours in a covered kettle. Serve very hot with browned butter sauce.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

TALK to Lowell.

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READ Sarasy's new ad.

FRESH fish, W. W. Nash.

McNAMARA sells hardware.

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FRESH dressed catfish at Dedrick Bros.

TOMATO and cabbage plants at Dedrick Bros.

FINE new potatoes 35c a peck at Dedrick Bros.

all new. We have your size. Amos Rehberg & Co.

TALK to Lowell about Goodrich lawn hose, the best made.

If you want strawberries at the right price try the cash grocery.

THE Wisconsin Carriage Company's vehicles. F. A. Taylor & Co.

THE finest pineapples at Dedrick Bros. 15 cents each.

Have you a furnished room for rent?

A want ad will find you a renter.

FANCY dairy butter by the jar, 16 cents a pound. Dedrick Bros.

THREE good second-hand buggies for sale cheap. F. A. Taylor & Co.

WANTED—A good strong boy 16 or 18 years old. Colvin Baking Co.

FOR carriages and harness we can save you money. F. A. Taylor & Co.

ISABEL waists and skirts. Great special sale today and Friday. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

A BUSH jar of Heinz celebrated apple butter just opened. 10 cents a pound. Dedrick Bros.

SLIPPERS for the little ones, black or red. Get our prices before you buy. Amos Rehberg & Co.

ISABEL waists and skirts. Great special sale today and Friday. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

THE "want ad," a mighty elp is he, with broad and reaching scope. Three lines three times for 25 cents.

THE Ladies Society of All Souls church will meet Friday afternoon at residence of Mrs. A. G. Wilson.

REMEMBER the Presbyterian social on C. O. MacLean's lawn tomorrow evening. Ice cream and cake served, 15 cents.

"One thing is certain," said a west side lady, "your want ads bring results" and she gave the Gazette representative another ad.

Mrs. William McBride of Oconomowoc, Wis., is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Thomas Kane, 67 North First street.

COME and enjoy some good music and delicious ice cream and cake at the lawn social Friday evening at the home of C. O. MacLean, Milton avenue.

12 pairs "Queen Quality" shoes sold Saturday. People know good shoes. Every day brings us more "Queen Quality" friends. 20 different styles.

OXFORDS, summer slippers, 98c. You can take lots of comfort for a little money. Look over our slipper stock. Many thousands of economic interest to you. Amos Rehberg & Co.

For selling houses, lots, baby carriages, bicycles, horses, carriages, boats, furniture, etc., etc. you can't beat our want columns. It brings you in contact with a buyer every time.

REMEMBER our "Viscol" patent leather is warranted not to crack. Why take any chances when you've got a sure thing. We have any size \$5 a pair. Amos Rehberg & Co.

THE president of the local W. C. T. U. wishes to meet every member in a short meeting just before prayer meeting Thursday evening at the Baptist church at 7 o'clock sharp, as important business will come before them.

Don't fail to see Lion Coffee premiums at W. T. Sherer's drugstore. Many valuable and useful articles given free for Lion heads cut from wrappers. It is attracting much attention. Be sure and see them.

A SMALL party of friends were invited for last evening by the children of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of their wedding day. Dinner was served at half past six and the evening was pleasantly spent in social conversation and reminiscences.

UNDERWEAR worth 5 cents we sell at 4 cents, those worth 15 at 10 cents, those worth 20 at 13 cents, those worth 35 cents at 23 cents, and so on through the entire line. We save you something on every piece you get here. Read more in our large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THIS weather suggests summer underwear and we want you to keep in mind that we save you money on every piece you buy of us. A little saving all around saves you enough to make buying here an object. No better goods can be bought. Read our new ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

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TWENTY THOUSAND POUNDS OF WOOL

CONSIGNMENT RECEIVED HERE
DURING THE DAY.

Shipment Was Purchased of Farmers in Rock County—Bought By I. U. Fisher and Mr. Ballard—Wool in This Country Is Getting Scarce and Prices Are Strong.

Rock county sheep growers brought to the city of Janesville today twenty thousand pounds of wool. This large consignment was purchased by I. U. Fisher of the town of Plymouth and Mr. Ballard of Evansville. The purchasers were assisted in receiving by George Yahn of this city. By the purchase of this shipment it makes one of the largest wool deals that has been closed in this city in some time. This wool will be sent East and from there it will soon find its way into the large woolen mills.

HENRY HEMMING DIED THIS MORNING

Well Known Resident of This City for Many Years and a Citizen Respected by All.

Henry Hemming died this morning at 10 o'clock after four months of patient suffering with Bright's disease. His death took place at Mrs. Henderson's private hospital, 105 South Main street.

By the death of Mr. Hemming the city of Janesville loses a citizen who was respected by a large circle of friends. His friends were not confined to Janesville alone, for in all portions of Rock county Mr. Hemming had acquaintances who at all times regarded him as a true friend.

For many years he was engaged in the boot and shoe business both for himself and under the firm of Hemming & Thomas. For ten years Mr. Hemming has held the office of city assessor being obliged to resign but a few months ago. Politically he was a democrat.

Mr. Hemming was born in the city of Birmingham, England in 1833 and when sixteen years of age came to this country coming direct to Janesville from New York City. He has since made this city his home. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. G. M. Weaver of Omaha, and one son, Charles H. Hemming of Rockford, Ill. Mrs. Emily Wilbur of this city is a sister. A half brother, Fred Barson of California, is left.

Funeral services will be held from the residence of Mrs. Wilbur, 105 School street Saturday morning at ten o'clock. The interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

DANCING PARTIES HELD LAST EVENING

One at the Golf Club House Was Not Well Attended—Many Were Guests of the Trades Council.

About twenty-five couples assembled at the Mississippi Golf club house last evening and enjoyed an informal dancing party given in honor of a few Beloit college boys who were in the city to attend the base ball game. A four piece orchestra from the State School for the Blind furnished the music.

Tomorrow evening a picnic party will take place. The bus will meet all incoming and outgoing street cars in the afternoon and evening.

Trades Council Dance.

When one considers that the weather was not the most inviting for holding a dance the members of the Trades Council have good reason to well feel proud of their Assembly hall dancing party last evening. One hundred and twenty-five couples were on hand and until the last waltz was played, had a merry time. Prof Smith's orchestra furnished the music.

The arrangement committee consisted of W. P. Masco, A. Pardee and George Kueck.

J. U. Fulton, George Kueck and Edward B. Birmingham had charge of the floor.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Reported by W. T. Carpenter, Commission Merchant and Broker, 214-216, Hayes Block, Chicago, May 31, 1900.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July.....	67 1/4	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Sept.....	67 1/4	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Oct.....	67 1/4	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Nov.....	67 1/4	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Dec.....	67 1/4	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/4

..LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS..

CHINESE ARE SHUT IN.

San Francisco Police Enforce the Steps Against Plague.

WHITES LEAVE THE DISTRICT.

Cars Go Through Quarter with All Passengers Inside—Body in an Undertaker's Rooms Shows Death by Dreaded Scourge.

San Francisco, Cal., May 31.—The quarantine of Chinatown is being enforced rigorously, 150 policemen being detailed to maintain a cordon around the district bounded by Montgomery avenue, Broadway, California, Kearney and Stockton streets. The parts of blocks fronting on California and Kearney streets are not included, as they are occupied by whites. Ropes are stretched across the streets and the Chinese are hemmed in closely, even the secret exits through some blocks being closed against them. The Asiatics took the quarantine stoically. They had warning of what was coming and many left the district before the arrival of the police. The proportion of those who fled was small, however, and there are thousands behind the lines. All whites in Chinatown were allowed to pass out, but people outside the line are not let inside. Many teamsters were caught in the quarantine, but got out without difficulty on being warned that they could not re-enter. The policemen have stopped freight of all kinds from coming out, but have let the Chinese understand that supplies for themselves might pass in. The Chinese watch for newspapers with eagerness. Cable cars are permitted to pass through the quarantined district only on condition that the passengers go inside the cars before entering the lines, and no person is allowed to get on or off the cars in Chinatown. Another condition is observed by the railway men in fumigating the cars at both ends of the line.

Dr. Kellogg, who has been investigating the corpse of a Chinaman found in a Chinese undertaking establishment, expressed an opinion late last night that the Chinaman had died of the plague. "I am satisfied it is plague," the physician said, "and I am confident that animal inoculation and the autopsy will confirm it. One not conversant with the situation in Chinatown cannot appreciate the difficulties that confront the inspectors, but they may be imagined from the fact that we have discovered the case only after the victim is dead." According to Dr. Williamson, president of the board of health, a cordon around the skirts of Chinatown may continue for six weeks.

Neely's Muncie Plant Sold.
Muncie, Ind., May 31.—United States Marshal Foley of Indianapolis came to Muncie and with a writ of attachment closed the plant of the Neely Printing company pending a hearing in the United States court before Judge Baker of Indianapolis. The action is the result of alleged discoveries that the property is subject to the liabilities of Charles F. W. Neely, charged with being a defaulter. In the sum of more than \$40,000. The property here has been in charge of Ross H. Cowan and about twenty hands are employed steadily, mostly engaged in work for railroad companies in making time-table folders.

Socialism in the Colleges.
Boston, Mass., May 31.—An inter-collegiate socialistic movement was launched here by the meeting called in Foresters' hall of socialistic students from many American colleges and universities. The purpose is to perfect an organization and formulate plans to spread the socialistic doctrine next fall when the colleges reopen. In a circular issued by the promoters "the barbarous nationalism in France" and "the spread of imperialism in England and the United States" are violently assailed and "the dangers of militarism everywhere" are forcefully alluded to.

Rumor of New Packing Houses.
Kansas City, Mo., May 31.—A story was circulated here to the effect that three big Chicago packers—Nelson Morris, Hammond and Libby, McNeil & Libby—were contemplating establishing stockyards and packing houses in the east bottoms of Kansas City, three miles east of the present Kansas City stockyards.

Chicago, May 31.—Edward Tilden, treasurer of Libby, McNeil & Libby, and Ira N. Morris of the Nelson Morris company, denies the truth of the Kansas City report affecting their firms.

Tube-Trust Houses to Close.
Pittsburg, Pa., May 31.—All the branch houses of the National Tube company in the country, except the four in Chicago, New York, San Francisco and Pittsburgh, are closed and the managers and employees discharged. In future all shipments of the products of the company will be made from its various works. Nearly every city in the country has one or more of these branch houses. The new order does away with about 800 employees and saves for the combine \$1,000,000 a year.

Thinks Fanatic Fired Church.
Chicago, May 31.—Fire which started in the organ loft and is believed

to have been incendiary destroyed the greater part of Bethesda Baptist church. The police believe there is connection between this fire and the destruction of Trinity Methodist, Second Presbyterian and St. John's Reformed Episcopal churches within the last two months.

WEDNESDAY'S BALL SCORES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia.

First game—

Philadelphia 10 2 0 0 0 *—5

Chicago 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2

Second game—

Philadelphia 5 1 0 7 0 0 0 0—13

Chicago 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—3

At Boston.

First game—

Boston 0 0 0 1 4 0 2 1—8

Cincinnati 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 2—4

Second game—

Boston 2 0 4 0 0 1 0 *—7

Cincinnati 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0—3

At New York.

First game—

St. Louis 0 1 0 0 0 2 2 0—5

Brooklyn 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Second game—

St. Louis 6 2 0 0 1 2 0 0—11

Brooklyn 0 0 1 2 1 1 0 0—16

At Pittsburgh.

First game—

Pittsburg 0 0 0 1 0 3 3 0—7

New York 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 3—6

Second game—

New York 1 0 0 2 0 6 0 0—9

Pittsburg 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

At Chicago.

First game—

Kan. City 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Second game—

Kan. City 0 2 5 0 0 0 0 1—3

Chicago 2 0 1 1 0 3 0 0—7

At Buffalo.

First game—

Cleveland 0 0 4 0 1 0 1 0—7

Buffalo 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—4

Second game—

Cleveland 4 1 0 0 0 1 0 1—7

Buffalo 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

At Milwaukee.

First game—

Milwaukee 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Minneapolis 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0—4

Second game—

Minneapolis 2 0 1 0 1 0 0 1—3

Milwaukee 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—1

At Indianapolis.

First game—

Indianapolis 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 1—4

Detroit 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—3

National League attendance:

A. M. P. M.

At Philadelphia 10,471 15,531

At Brooklyn 5,900 11,000

At New York 3,000 15,000

At Boston 4,000 8,030

Totals 23,371 52,581

American League.

American league attendance:

A. M. P. M.

At Chicago 2,100 13,000

At Indianapolis 5,000

At Buffalo 1,400 3,500

At Milwaukee 600 4,000

Totals 4,100 25,500

John Bright Beats Pink Coat.

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 31.—John Bright won the Latonia Turf Congress handicap, with 127 pounds on his back, after a lively contest with Friesland and Pink Coat. The race, which was a mile and an eighth, was run over a heavy track in the slow time of 2:01 1/4.

Chicago, May 31.—The stake went to Handpress at the Hawthorne track. He won by a nose. Attendance 12,300.

A MOTHER'S STORY.

Tells About Her Daughter's Illness and How She was Relieved—Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

"Mrs. PINKHAM:—I write to tell you about my daughter. She is nineteen years old and is flowing all the time, and has been for about three months. The doctor does her but very little good, if any. I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, but I want your advice before beginning its use. I have become very much alarmed about her, as she is getting so weak."

Mrs. MATILDA A. CAMP, Manchester Mill, Macon, Ga., May 21, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit my daughter has received from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After beginning the use of your medicine she began to mend rapidly and is now able to be at her work. Her menses are regular and almost painless. I feel very thankful to you and expect to always keep your Vegetable Compound in my house. It is the best medicine I ever knew. You have my permission to publish this letter if you wish, it may be the means of doing others good."

Mrs. MATILDA A. CAMP, Manchester Mill, Macon, Ga., September 18, 1899.

Attacked by Pack of Hounds.

Columbia, S. C., May 31.—L. J. Guion, superintendent of the Bennettsville cotton mills, attended an entertainment in the country. Returning home, about, he was attacked

by a pack of hounds. Guion was armed with a bowie knife and made a fierce fight for his life. He killed two dogs and put three more out of action before the rest withdrew. By that time Guion's clothes were in rags and he was covered with blood from the many bites received. He was almost exhausted.

A OAK.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, G. E. King & Co., B. H. Heston, E. O. Smith & Co., People's Drug Co., Janesville, Wis.

Half Rates to Fond du Lac, Wis.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, June 2, 3 and 4, limited to June 8, on account of German Catholic convention. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

What is Shiloh?

A grand old remedy for Cough, Colds and Consumption; used through the world for half a century, has cured innumerable cases of incipient consumption and relieved many in advanced stages. If you are not satisfied with the results we will refund your money Price 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. Sold by J. P. Baker.

Excursion Tickets to Green Bay.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates, from stations in Wisconsin, June 4, 5 and 6, limited to June 11, inclusive, account of I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge, etc. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Butterline Manufacturers Speak Out in Regard to the Groat Bill—Press Opinion in Germany on Retaliatory Duty Proposition.

Washington, May 31.—Steps toward fortifying Dry Tortugas, Pearl Harbor, Pango Pango, and Guam are being taken by the navy department. For some time this question has been discussed, and the sentiment in favor of fortifying coaling stations with a view to adding to the defense of the United States has crystallized rapidly. Owing to the shortage of engineers in the navy a request has been made upon the engineer bureau of the army to assign an officer of that corps to the navy for the purpose of visiting these places, with a view to making a report upon what is necessary to be done to fortify them so as to get an appropriation from congress to complete the work.

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago butterline manufacturers say that the passage by congress of the Groat bill, which regulates the sale of butterline, will exterminate the industry throughout the country. They do not take a gloomy view of the matter, however, for they say that the bill would not pass the senate this session even if passed by the house. W. J. Moxley of W. J. Moxley & Co. of this city said: "If the Groat bill should become a law it would mean the extermination of the manufacture of butterline in this country. In Chicago today there is about \$3,000,000 invested in the manufacture of butterline, and Chicago is the real center. If the Groat bill becomes a law I must close down my plant. Under the proposed tax good butterline would cost about 22 1/2 cents per pound, or about 3 cents more than the same grade of butter. I do not think that the bill would hold if passed."

Berlin, May 31.—The following are samples of editorial opinions of the bill introduced in the United States house of representatives by Mr. Bailey of Kansas directing the president to impose and collect an additional duty of 10 per cent on all imports from Germany in the event of the enactment of the meat inspection bill in its present form:

National Zeitung: We do not believe the United States will be foolish enough to begin tariff hostilities because of the prohibition of sausages and canned meats. In such hostilities both sides can inflict damage.

Lokal Anzeiger: The passage of Mr. Bailey's bill would undoubtedly mean the beginning of a tariff war.

Vossische Zeitung: The agrarian majority in the reichstag will be little troubled by the news regarding Mr. Bailey's proposal, since that majority is not concerned over damage to German commerce.

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Wonderful French Woman.

Paris, May 31.—An old woman was found exhausted from hunger on the highway near the town of Sezanne, department of Marne. She was cared for, and when she had recovered a little of her strength she informed the authorities that she was born in Alsace on Jan. 2, 1797, and was, therefore, over 103 years old. Despite her great age, she had determined to see the Paris exhibition, and had set out on foot for the capital. She had been walking for fifteen days and carrying a pack weighing fifty pounds. All the money she had was 2 francs. During her journey she had slept in barns and under hedge rows. A collection was made among the residents of Sezanne and sufficient money was raised to send the old woman to Paris in comfort.

Supposed Dead Man Appears.

Hackensack, N. J., May 31.—In the New Jersey Court of Chancery here a divorce was granted to Ada L. Ackerman, wife of Frank Ackerman, and a daughter of C. T. Demorest. The suit was begun two years ago, but was dropped when the report came that Ackerman had been killed by a train near Elmira. The body of the man killed was identified by Ackerman's parents as that of their son. A few months ago Ackerman appeared in Hackensack in the best of health. He said he had been in the west since his disappearance. The suit for divorce was then reopened, with the result stated.

Boy Gets \$47,000 Verdict.

Philadelphia, May 31.—One of the largest verdicts ever rendered by a jury in the local courts for personal injuries sustained was that of \$47,000 given to William F. Waters, a minor, in his suit against the Atlantic Refining company, which was tried in Common Pleas court before Judge Whitbank. The boy asked for \$50,000, contending that through the negligence of the company in allowing a can of acid to remain in a dangerous locality an explosion occurred which permanently blinded Waters.

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Butterline Manufacturers Speak Out in Regard to the Groat Bill—Press Opinion in Germany on Retaliatory Duty Proposition.

Washington, May 31.—Steps toward fortifying Dry Tortugas, Pearl Harbor, Pango Pango, and Guam are being taken by the navy department. For some time this question has been discussed, and the sentiment in favor of fortifying coaling stations with a view to adding to the defense of the United States has crystallized rapidly. Owing to the shortage of engineers in the navy a request has been made upon the engineer bureau of the army to assign an officer of that corps to the navy for the purpose of visiting these places, with a view to making a report upon what is necessary to be done to fortify them so as to get an appropriation from congress to complete the work.

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago butterline manufacturers say that the passage by congress of the Groat bill, which regulates the sale of butterline, will exterminate the industry throughout the country. They do not take a gloomy view of the matter, however, for they say that the bill would not pass the senate this session even if passed by the house. W. J. Moxley of W. J. Moxley & Co. of this city said: "If the Groat bill should become a law it would mean the extermination of the manufacture of butterline in this country. In Chicago today there is about \$3,000,000 invested in the manufacture of butterline, and Chicago is the real center. If the Groat bill becomes a law I must close down my plant. Under the proposed tax good butterline would cost about 22 1/2 cents per pound, or about 3 cents more than the same grade of butter. I do not think that the bill would hold if passed."

Berlin, May 31.—The following are samples of editorial opinions of the bill introduced in the United States house of representatives by Mr. Bailey of Kansas directing the president to impose and collect an additional duty of 10 per cent on all imports from Germany in the event of the enactment of the meat inspection bill in its present form:

National Zeitung: We do not believe the United States will be foolish enough to begin tariff hostilities because of the prohibition of sausages and canned meats. In such hostilities both sides can inflict damage.

Lokal Anzeiger: The passage of Mr. Bailey's bill would undoubtedly mean the beginning of a tariff war.

Vossische Zeitung: The agrarian majority in the reichstag will be little troubled by the news regarding Mr. Bailey's proposal, since that majority is not concerned over damage to German commerce.

Wonderful French Woman.

Paris, May 31.—An old woman was found exhausted from hunger on the highway near the town of Sezanne, department of Marne. She was cared for, and when she had recovered a little of her strength she informed the authorities that she was born in Alsace on Jan. 2, 1797, and was, therefore, over 103 years old. Despite her great age, she had determined to see the Paris exhibition, and had set out on foot for the capital. She had been walking for fifteen days and carrying a pack weighing fifty pounds. All the money she had was 2 francs. During her journey she had slept in barns and under hedge rows. A collection was made among the residents of Sezanne and sufficient money was raised to send the old woman to Paris in comfort.

Supposed Dead Man Appears.

Hackensack, N. J., May 31.—In the New Jersey Court of Chancery here a divorce was granted to Ada L. Ackerman, wife of Frank Ackerman, and a daughter of C. T. Demorest. The suit was begun two years ago, but was dropped when the report came that Ackerman had been killed by a train near Elmira. The body of the man killed was identified by Ackerman's parents as that of their son. A few months ago Ackerman appeared in Hackensack in the best of health. He said he had been in the west since his disappearance. The suit for divorce was then reopened, with the result stated.

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ON THE MARCH.

Down the canyon of the street,
Hear the muffled marching feet!
Hear the thousand throated hum
As the soldiers nearer come!
Eagerly the people crowd,
Faintly now, and now more loud,
While we listen, breathless, dumb,
Comes the droning of the drum.

Marching down the western light,
Bursts the column on our sight!
Through the myriad golden mists
Splendidly our banner floats!
Then the sudden swelling cheer,
Voicing all we hold most dear,
Wondrous, swelling wave of sound
Till the whirling drum is drowned!

Now the marching men have passed,
We have watched them to the last
Till the column disappears
In a mist of sudden tears.
Loves and hates before unguessed,
Tremble in the troubled breast,
Loves and hates and hopes and fears
Waking from the sleep of years.

—Herbert Muller Hopkins.

AN ODD SPECULATOR.

How a Man Who Failed at Many Things Was a Great Success in a Single Role.

BY GREENE L. ELWOOD.

From a worldly point of view my life had been a monotonous succession of knockdowns until I made the acquaintance of Leonard Hardman.

I was giving an elaborate account of my ill luck to a friend of my college days and imploring him to help me to a situation suitable to my attainments. Gilbert listened sympathetically. When my story was finished, he thought awhile in his quiet way and then said, with a peculiar smile:

"Kent, old boy, you have had a tough time of it, but don't despair. I am going to give you a letter to Leonard Hardman, a capitalist, whom I know quite well. He is a good man. Go to him and relate your story just as you have to me, and I think he will be able to do something for you. He asked me to find him a man if I could, and I think you will please him."

"Do you mean that I am to tell him all about my failures?" I asked in astonishment.

"Certainly; tell him everything. He likes candor, and if you don't make him understand that you have made a bad mess of business heretofore I doubt if he will want you."

A queer situation, to be sure. Gilbert gave me the letter, and I lost no time in hunting up Leonard Hardman.

I found him a man of 60 or thereabout, short, stout, red faced and side whiskered, evidently a substantial citizen, who never permitted himself to get hungry or thirsty. He had even the appearance of a benevolent person. His suit of office was quite pleasant and expensively furnished, but he kept no clerical force save an office boy.

Mr. Hardman read my friend Gilbert's letter with surprising interest and then turned to me inquiringly.

"Gilbert advised me to tell you all about myself," I began in an embarrassed way.

"Go right ahead," he said heartily.

"In the first place, then, I am a college man, though I was graduated at the wrong end of my class. Of course some one had to graduate there. When I left college, I taught school awhile, but my abilities, which were quite conspicuous, were not really appreciated, and I took up life insurance. In this work I found it so difficult to please the company, especially so difficult to make ends meet, that I turned my attention to fire insurance, with practically the same result. Giving up insurance, I became a canvasser for a very excellent book, but business was not good. Knowing that there was no better judge of land values anywhere than myself, I went into real estate, with my usual enthusiasm and pluck, and yet my success in that line could have been much greater. I then got mixed up in politics. Tried to get the nomination for congress, but circumstances forced the nomination for the legislature upon me, and at the election I was snowed under. Disgusted with the uncertainty of political life, I became a museum lecturer, ceasing that work when the proprietor became bankrupt. Since that time I have been engaged as an advertising solicitor, which, believe me, is work far below my capacity and a very precarious way of making a living in the bargain. I am now looking for something of a steady, remunerative kind. I have never been appreciated, sir, nor given a fair opportunity to show my admirable business and literary qualifications. All I ask is such an opportunity. Gilbert suggested that you might be able to employ me in your business."

There I stopped. The effect of my history upon Mr. Hardman was almost startling. From the very first he evinced an intense interest in me, and when I ceased speaking he grasped me by the hand with convulsive warmth.

"I am sure I can help you," said he—"that is, if you will help me. You see, it is a case of reciprocity. I have been successful in a business way—quite successful, but a man always wants to do better than he has done and see his gains increase faster. For a long time I have felt the need of an assistant, a man of certain qualifications, such qualifications, indeed, as I feel that you possess. If you will engage with me, I am confident that we can accomplish great things."

"What is your line of business?" I ventured to ask.

"Oh, I'm what you call a speculator; buy a thing, no matter what, so long as it is something that will likely increase in value—increasing surely and quickly. Now, I could give you as a starter"—he reflected a moment—"say, \$250 a month for your services, this arrangement to continue so long as it is mutually agreeable. How do you like that?"

"Like it?" I repeated, amazed, for I had never made so much as \$100 a month in my life, although of course I felt capable of earning any kind of a salary, no matter how large. "Like it! Why, I consider it a very generous proposition. I'll do my level best to deserve your confidence. I will strive, sir, as never before to—"

"No, no," he cried excitedly; "don't strive. Leave all that to me. I don't want you to work too hard. Just be your own natural self. That's what I want you to be. Don't strive, I beg of you, and don't worry about anything. We'll have a good time together, you and I, and you can begin in the morning if you are ready."

I was too dumfounded to say more.

The next morning I reported promptly for duty, half fearing that Leonard Hardman would prove to have been a creature of my dreams instead of a beneficent reality. He was a little late. When he came, he shook my hand cordially and said he was delighted to see me.

"What shall I do first?" I asked. "Do? Oh, that's so. Let me see—well, the first thing we will do is to read the morning papers carefully, all about real estate sales, the stock market, the market reports and the political news. Great things, these newspapers, don't you think?"

I gave him quite at length my opinion of newspapers and how they ought to be run, and he was deeply interested and agreed with me in everything. He was a man of fine discernment in many respects.

"After we finish our papers," he said, "we will go for a drive and look at some nice outside property. It's a grand day for driving. By the time we return it will be noon, and we will lunch together. After luncheon, ah—well, we will make further plans."

"I like this situation," I said to myself. We read the papers. From time to time Leonard Hardman paused to ask me questions of one kind or another, generally bearing upon investments, and my luminous replies manifestly pleased him. It gave me pleasure to note that my employer invariably concurred in my opinions. He could scarcely have done less.

We drove over pretty nearly the whole city. When we returned for luncheon, we had covered at least 30 miles. All this time we had kept up a lively conversation. Mr. Hardman was always drawing me out. I never saw a more persistent catechiser or a better listener. I, who am so well informed and so rich in experience, surely one may tell the simple truth about himself, took great pains to enlighten him, and he showed genuine appreciation, a thing really rare in this world.

We lunched at the Bohemian club, and the quality of the lunch was a revelation to me. We had terrapin and champagne and other things that I had not been accustomed to, but my refined tastes fit in quite readily to these things as if I had been used to them all my life. Best of all, Leonard Hardman informed me that he would be glad to have me lunch with him every day when I had no other engagements. I thanked him and mentally promised never to make any conflicting engagement.

The days that followed were much like that first day. If I ever did anything like work or earned a dollar for my kind employer, candor compels me to admit that I have no recollection of it, nor could I ever make out what Leonard Hardman was doing in the way of business. No transactions were ever closed at his office. His afternoons, however, were uniformly spent away from the office. I knew not where nor how, and if he made any money at all it was made in secret operations. I felt somewhat piqued at his clandestine way of doing things, but as my salary was always paid promptly and I lunched regularly at his expense it did not seem to me proper to call him to account.

For the space of three years I was thus associated with Leonard Hardman, during which time he claimed to be prospering and seemed to be happy and contented. But I never found out the nature of his business or the amount of his profits. My early qualms of conscience for not having been more serviceable to him soon gave way to placid unconcern about his secret operations, whatever they were.

His demeanor toward me never changed. It was always gentle, even deferential, something not usual in an employer. We were more like companions than anything else.

Almost three years to a day from the commencement of my singular service Leonard Hardman died. This was a hard shock to me, for I felt a warm attachment for him. Moreover I was troubled at the thought of having to hunt another situation.

When his will was opened, it was found to contain, much to my surprise and delight, a handsome legacy of \$50,000 in my favor. I gathered together his papers so that his affairs could be put in order and among other things found in his private rooms at the club where he lived the was a bachelor's book which proved to be a diary, carefully kept to the very day of his death.

The contents of this diary were and have ever since been a source of intense humiliation to me. I am generous enough, however, to overlook and excuse the vagaries of a man who had proved so good a friend to me and who possessed so many noble qualities. From the date of my engagement in his service almost daily references were made to myself in this strange diary. Some of these references were kind, others most unkind. What gave me keenest grief and still grieves me and what I now freely forgive because palpably the product of a mind enfeebled by long devotion to business are the following entries:

"Jan. 13, 1882.—Richard Kent has this day entered my service. I have a theory which I wish to put thoroughly to the test, and Kent is the subject of my experiment."

"Jan. 25, 1883.—It is now something more than a year since Richard Kent came to my office. My theory has worked out. But let me explain:

"All business success worth the name is the result of good judgment. Some men have judgment at times good and at times very bad. No man has good judgment in all things and at all times, because man is fallible. Some men exhibit bad judgment all the time."

"While I had been successful in my business affairs, nevertheless on occasions I lost heavily as the result of bad conclusions. It finally occurred to me that if I had an adviser in the shape of a man who was wrong all the time I should be able to accomplish great results. I sought a long time before I found him. Richard Kent proved to be the man, and a treasure he is."

"Kent is a well educated, well bred man of 40, smart in many things, brilliant in a few things, but the worst reasoner I ever met in my life. On any proposition of ordinary difficulty he uniformly goes wrong. I have never known him to fail. Whenever I am in doubt what to do I ask his advice and then do the other thing. His fallibility is perfect."

"Whatever my faults (if I have any) fear is not one of them. I have nothing to conceal. I give the foregoing extracts with profound sorrow and only because they are necessary to explain the visionary state of Hardman's mind with respect to myself.—Short Stories.

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Canadians to Stay at Home.

Vancouver, B. C., May 31.—The presence of an armed battalion of 500 or 600 men from Canada will not this year be one of the attractions at the Fourth of July celebration at Seattle. The invitation has come from the Seattle celebration committee, but it has been curtly declined on the ground that orders have been issued by the militia department at Ottawa to the contrary. The expression of sympathy with the Boers in the present South African struggle is the real reason given by the officers here why they refused the invitation.

Sleeping Cars Leave Track.

Paris, May 31.—A freight train came into collision with the St. Petersburg express between Terguier and St. Quentin. The express, which left the Nord station at 1:50 p. m., was composed exclusively of sleeping cars, two of which were derailed. The engine driver was killed and several passengers were badly bruised. The locomotive of the freight train was precipitated into the canal of St. Quentin.

Young Men Locked in Coffins.

Adrian, Mich., May 31.—A dray was driven up to the business center of the town and two coffins quickly unloaded. Investigation by the police revealed two young men locked inside. They were released and marched to the police station. They proved to be initiates of a college society, and upon explanation were given their freedom.

British Land Troops at Taku.

Shanghai, May 31.—The British warships Orlando and Algerine are landing 100 men at Taku, where the French, Russian and Japanese guards have already disembarked. The "Boxers" are apparently without arms except those they have obtained from the soldiery, many of whom are openly joining the rebels.

Northcott Is a Candidate.

Clinton, Iowa, May 31.—Lieut.-Gov. W. A. Northcott of Illinois, who was the orator of the day at Clinton, announced to some political friends from his own state that he was what might be called a passive candidate for the republican vice-presidential nomination, subject to the action of the Illinois delegates.

Woman Rescued from a Well.

Randolph, Wis., May 31.—Mrs. T. E. Goodwin of Lost Lake, about six miles from here, was rescued from an old well in an unconscious condition. She soon revived and accused her husband of throwing her into the well, which contained over twenty feet of water. Goodwin has been arrested.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG, SICK WOMEN WELL.

Mrs. M. F. Long, of Le Loup, Franklin Co., Kans., writes: "Words cannot express how grateful I am for your kind advice and good medicines. I have been in poor health more or less all my life. In the past nine years grew worse, and two years ago I was so poorly could hardly drag around. I consulted a specialist, and he said I had ulceration and that an operation would have to be performed. This did not seem necessary to me, so time went by, and at last I wrote to Dr. Pierce asking advice. I soon got a helpful answer advising me to try his medicines, the 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and also his 'Pleasant Pellets.' I began taking 'Favorite Prescription' and the other medicines as advised. When commencing I weighed 119½ pounds, and after taking one bottle of each I felt like a new woman. In one month I gained 8 pounds. After taking two bottles of each of the medicines, I began to look like a woman and not like a skeleton, and that weary tired feeling all left me."

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From Prize Ring to Pulpit.

Boston, May 31.—Bob Green, a colored lightweight pugilist, who was known about a decade ago as the "Black Spider," is now a full-fledged preacher. In the absence of the regular pastor, Green occupied the pulpit of the Morning Star Baptist church, Boston. He had just returned from the Court Street Baptist church of Lynchburg, W. Va., where he had been serving as an assistant pastor. Green's first sermon in Boston was "A Good Minister." He quickly showed to the minds of his listeners that he had at least what they thought to be the right conception of his duties as a minister of the gospel.

Babe Fell Into a Mine.

Lebanon, Pa., May 31.—Searchers who spent the night looking for 2-year-old Foster Rowe, son of Michael Rowe, at the Cornwall ore banks, found the little fellow at the bottom of a mine. The child had fallen about 125 feet down the almost perpendicular side of a cut, but had caught several times in the descent. When discovered he lay on his back, his head resting on a lump of ore.

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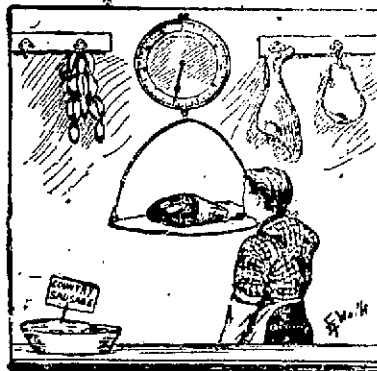
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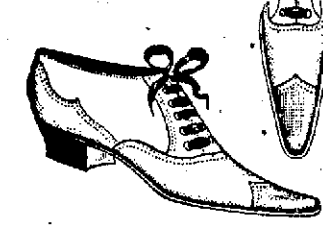


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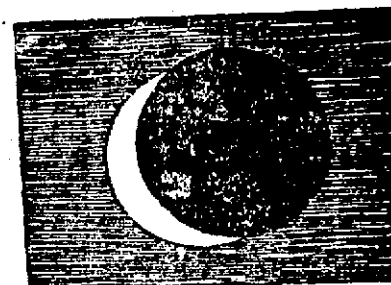
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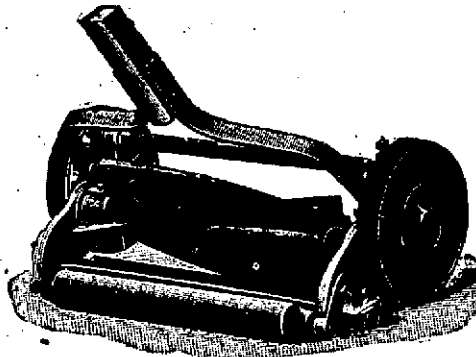
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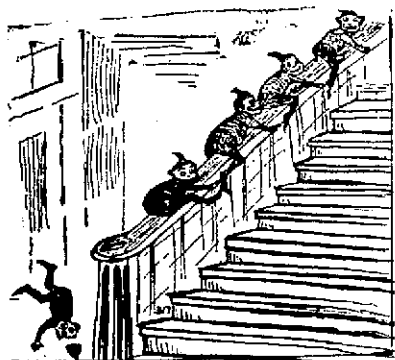
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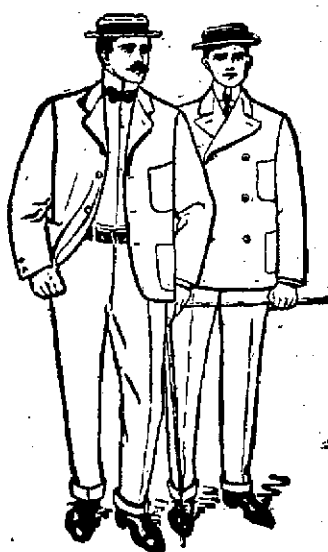
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